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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 148 of 1914.

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

Mr. A. C. ALLNUTT, Deputy Commissioner of Excise, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Excise Commissioner, with effect from April 23, 1914, during the absence of the Hon. Mr. B. HORSBURGH on leave or until further orders.

Mr. D. McMILLAN to act as General Manager of the Railway from April 21, 1914, during the absence of Mr. G. P. GREENE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. J. MORRISON to act, in addition to his own duties, as Office Assistant at Batticaloa to the Government Agent, Eastern Province; Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa; Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Batticaloa; Assistant Collector of Customs, Batticaloa; and Additional Assistant Superintendent of Police, Batticaloa, from April 22 to 25, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. A. H. EGAN from the station or until further orders.

Mr. E. T. DYSON to act, in addition to his own duties, as Office Assistant at Kurunegala to the Government Agent, North-Western Province, for April 24, 1914, during the absence of Mr. N. J. LUDINGTON from the station or until further orders.

Mr. T. G. F. HEMSWORTH to be attached to the Trincomalee Kachcheri in addition to his own duties, and to be Additional Police Magistrate, Trincomalee, and Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Trincomalee, from April 20 to 24, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. E. HOBDAV from the station or until further orders.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, from April 16, 1914, during the absence of Mr. T. G. WILLETT from the station or until further orders.

Mr. G. F. R. BROWNING to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge, Tangalla, from April 21 to 24, 1914, inclusive.

Mr. T. G. WILLETT to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional District Judge, Ratnapura, for April 17, 1914.

Mr. F. VAN ROOYEN to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matale, and Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Pānwila and Urugala, from April 19 to 23, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. F. MARSHALL 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 20, 1914, during the absence of Mr. W. T. STACE from the station.

Mr. P. A. GOONERATNE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadura, from April 16 to 19, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. A. WEERAKOON on leave or until further orders.

Mr. C. J. A. MARSHALL to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avissawella, from April 21 to 23, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. P. B. HERAT from the station or until further orders.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Puttalam, from April 22 to 24, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. V. COOMARASWAMY from the station or until further orders.

Mr. G. C. MADAWELA to act 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. W. DORAISAMY to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna and Kayts, from April 20 to 24, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. K. H. CAMPBELL from the station.

Mr. P. VYTHIALINGAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, from April 22 to 24, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. M. PRASAD from the station.

Mr. M. A. YOUNG to be, with effect from April 9, 1914, a Manager of the Association of Public Officers of

the Crown in Ceylon for purposes of mutual guarantee for the year ending June 30, 1914, in the room of Mr. D. W. ARNOTT.

Lieut. C. E. STAINER, R.N., to act as Master Attendant, Colombo, and Joint Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from April 20, 1914, during the absence of Capt. J. A. LEGGE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. T. C. JENKINS to act, in addition to his own duties, as Master Attendant, Galle, for fourteen days from April 18, 1914, during the absence of Mr. H. C. BLOOMFIELD on leave or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 16, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 149 of 1914.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. F. W. BAKEWELL will act as Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions, during the absence of Mr. M. COLE BOWEN from the Island on leave from April 21, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 4, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 150 of 1914.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. KARTIKESU VELUPPILLAI, Udaiyar of Putukkudiyiruppu, to be an Inquirer for Putukkudiyiruppu division, *vice* Mr. G. GEORGE PILLAI, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 15, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. M. SUBRAMANIAM, Secretary, District Court, Mullaitivu, to act as Registrar of Lands, Mullaitivu, for four days from April 6, 1914, during the absence of Mr. J. J. TISSAVIRASINGHE on leave or until further orders.

Dr. D. DADABHOY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 4 of the Colombo Municipality division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for eleven weeks and three days, with effect from April 11, 1914, *vice* Registrar, Dr. C. B. BABAPULLE, on leave. His office will be at No. 38, New Moor street, Colombo.

Dr. WILLIAM C. PIERIS to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, with effect from April 17, 1914, *vice* Dr. R. F. LA BROOK, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Puttalam.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 15, 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 SRIWICKRAMA BODIPUTRA SANNASKUMARA SANNASWALAWWE LOKU BANDARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Harispattu No. 5 Division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for fifteen days from April 1, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, S. S. S. TIKIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Medagoda Walawwa in Medagoda.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed Mr. KATHIRITHAMBY SIVAKURUNATHAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kokkuvil division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for twelve days from March 27, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, R. KATHIRAVELU, on leave. His office will be at Noochittalavu in Kokkuvil.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON BASTIAN SENANAYAKE, Vidane Arachchi, of Talpitibadda, to act as Registrar of General Marriages

of Panadure totamune, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for seven days from April 14, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, H. S. P. SAMARASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Kiripellagahawatta in Talpitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed RICHARD PHILIP LANEROLLE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Gallé District of the Southern Province, for seven days from April 7, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, C. D. S. WIRASOORIYA, on sick leave. His office will be at Thombuwewalawwewatta at Kataluwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON HENDRICK WICKREMESINHE GAMPATRANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Aturaliya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from April 14, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, V. P. S. P. DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Yahalewatta in Karagoda Uyangoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON JAMES DE SILVA SUDUSINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Western Walakada division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for seven days from April 3, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. KULATUNGA, on leave. His office will be at Tennachchilawewuwatta at Wanduruppa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON ANDREAS PERERA WIRAKON to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahawatta Ihawalakada division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for four days from April 6, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, J. A. SINGAPPULL, on leave. His office will be at Sududigalandewatta at Kambussawala.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 15, 1914.

BERTRAM HILL,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified for information, in terms of the regulations dated June 2, 1903, that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to the under-mentioned Non-Commissioned Officer and men of the Ceylon Light Infantry :—

- No. 2,765 Sergeant W. C. DE ZYLVA.
- No. 3,687 Volunteer P. V. BABOON.
- No. 3,659 Volunteer F. J. FONSEKA.
- No. 3,662 Volunteer G. P. JOACHIM.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 15, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the Notification dated February 26, 1913, published in the *Gazette* of the 28th idem, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, been pleased to order that the proviso therein notified in respect of section 2 (iv.) of the Pension Minute dated December 9, 1908, be cancelled, and that the following be substituted :—

Addition to Section 2 (iv.).

Provided that a locally appointed nurse or matron of the Medical Department, who is in receipt of a salary of Rs. 250 per annum and upwards, may retire at any time after she has completed eight years' service without the medical certificate required by section 14, and in such case may receive a gratuity calculated at the rate of one month's salary for each year of service. If the service includes a fractional part of a year over six months, half a month's salary may be allowed in addition.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 7, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

“THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889.”

THE following amended rule No. 61, in substitution for rule No. 61 of the rules dated April 10, 1906, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,117, dated April 27, 1906, and the following additional rule No. 89, made under section 6 of “The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889,” by the Village Committee of Delft, duly elected under section 16 of the said Ordinance, and approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published for general information under section 7 of the said Ordinance.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 6, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

Amended Rule No. 61.

61. The occupier of every house or land or, if unoccupied, the owner shall keep such premises clean and free of all such rank and noisome vegetation as would be a nuisance to and injurious to the health of any person, and shall remove all vessels or receptacles likely to breed mosquitoes, and no pit or hole likely to contain stagnant water shall be allowed to remain in any such premises.

Additional Rule No. 89.

89. No holder of a license granted under “The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912,” or any keeper of a tavern shall sell or allow any person to sell to any females any intoxicating liquor within the meaning of the Excise Ordinance.

MONTHLY STATEMENT issued by the Commissioners of Currency, under section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884, for the month of March, 1914:—

1.—Note Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Total stock on February 28, 1914	54,647,042	50	In vault on March 31, 1914	22,886,542	50
Add Notes received in March, 1914	1,200,000	0	In circulation on March 31, 1914	27,980,500	0
	55,847,042	50			
Deduct Notes destroyed in March, 1914	4,980,000	0			
	50,867,042	50		50,867,042	50

2.—Coin Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Coin received for Notes in circulation	27,980,500	0	Investments	15,161,300	9
	27,980,500	0	Coin in vault	12,819,199	91
				27,980,500	0

3.—Average amount of Notes in circulation during the month	..	..	28,363,080	0
Average amount of Coin in vault during the month...	..	..	13,201,780	0

4.—Investment Account.

	Face Value.			Face Value.			Face Value.			Cost Price.			Market Value.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Consols	11,000	0	0	—	..	—	..	..	8,130,650	0	..	7,713,053	37	
Colonial Securities	539,388	3	10	—	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Local Loans	18,000	0	0	—	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indian 3½ per cent. Stock	—	..	..	96,000	14	7	..	..	1,290,186	0	..	1,287,380	98	
Indian Securities	—	..	..	—	..	..	5,833,000	0	..	5,740,464	9	..	5,570,515	0
Total	568,388	3	10	96,000	14	7	5,833,000	0	15,161,300	9	14,570,949	35			

5.—Depreciation Fund.

	Face Value.			Face Value.			Face Value.			Cost Price.			Market Value.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Colonial Securities	70,342	7	3	—	..	—	..	..	1,011,564	30	..	954,873	0	
Indian Securities	—	..	..	—	..	..	719,100	0	..	716,293	22	..	686,740	50
Total	70,342	7	3	—	..	..	719,100	0	1,727,857	52	1,641,613	50		
Total of Nos. 4 and 5	638,730	11	1	96,000	14	7	6,552,100	0	16,889,157	61	16,212,562	85			

Currency Office,
Colombo, April 1, 1914.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary,
J. G. FRASER, Acting Controller of Revenue,
BERNARD SENIOR, Colonial Treasurer, } Commissioners
of Currency.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for shipping and landing stores of the Public Works Department to and from steamers and sailing vessels in the Colombo Harbour from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 Shipping and Landing Stores for the Public Works Department during 1914-1915" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 5, 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 Director of Public Works, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

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. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Director of Public Works.

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. 250 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Director of Public Works 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, April 8, 1914. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the conveyance of materials by boat from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1916, to and from the under-mentioned places:—

To and from Colombo and Puttalam and intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. _____ per mile per cwt.

To and from Colombo and Bolgoda and intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. _____ per mile per cwt.

To and from Colombo and Digarolla and intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. _____ per mile per cwt.

Two tons to be taken as a boat load.

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 Conveyance of Materials by Boat during 1914-1916" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 5, 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 Director of Public Works, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

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. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Director of Public Works.

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. 300 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Director of Public Works 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.

H. B. LEES,
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, April 8, 1914.

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 chena known as Kiriya-gagamahena, 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-Ullukkulama pinpara from the 7th milepost on the Arippoo road to the village of Mahamankadawela; on the south by the foot-path 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 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 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 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 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,
Batticaloa Division.

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 Gomeraskandawala 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 Koddiyar Bay situated in the Koddiyar 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 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. 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 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 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,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Galle Division.

Forest Office,
Matara, March 30, 1914.

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 Division.

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-aru, on the east by the Mundumrippu-Iranai Iluppaikulam minor road, on the south by the Iranai Iluppaikulam-Mayiladivillu minor road, and on the west by

the pattu boundary between Perunkalippattu and Panankamam.

The sleepers should be delivered stacked at Puliyaḍi 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-aru, and on the west by the Odaivelikkulam-Vedivaitakallu minor road.

The sleepers should be delivered stacked at Puliyaṅkulam 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, mills, 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 construction of the Butawatta Girls' School, in the Kandy District, Central Province.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kandy. The tenderer should specify the name of the work on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Kandy Kachcheri not later than midday on Thursday, April 30, 1914.

3. Tenders should either be produced at the Kacheheri, or sent through the post.

4. Tenders must be on forms which will be supplied from the Kacheheri, 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.

5. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at the Kacheheri before a tender form 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 Chairman, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposits will be forfeited to the District Schools Committee Funds. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or bond.

6. The plan and specifications can be seen, and further information obtained, at the Kacheheri.

7. The Chairman of the District Schools Committee does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to himself the right of accepting any tender.

A. N. STRONG,

Kandy Kachcheri, for Chairman, District Schools
April 6, 1914. Committee.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of metal from quarry at Anuradhapura to Railway Station at Anuradhapura (a distance of about 2 miles) and from Jail at Anuradhapura to Railway Station (a distance of about 1½ miles), also transport of rubble from the said quarry to jail (a distance of about ¾ mile), for the period of 12 months 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 Transport of Metal and Rubble, Anuradhapura 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 28, 1914.

5. The tenders should state the rate per cube for transport of metal and rubble separately.

6. 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.

7. A cash deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or at any 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 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.

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

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 at Anuradhapura.

WALTER H. ROBINSON, Major,

Acting Inspector-General of Prisons.
Colombo, March 31, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to the Welikada and Hulftsdorp Jails and the Borella Convict Hospital for the period of 12 months 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 Firewood for Colombo Jails" 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 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 of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or at any 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 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 of Rs. 250, 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.

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

Colombo, March 31, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to the Mahara Jail for the period of 12 months, 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 Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Firewood for Mahara Jail" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons not later than midday on April 28, 1914.

4. 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.

5. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 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.

6. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

10. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo.

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

Colombo, March 31, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the removal of night soil from the prison at Negombo for the period of 12 months 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 Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Removal of Night Soil, Negombo Jail," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons not later than midday on April 28, 1914.

4. 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.

5. A cash deposit of Rs. 25 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 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.

6. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security of Rs. 50, 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.

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

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

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, or to the Superintendent of Prison, Negombo.

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

Colombo, March 31, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of good drinking water to the prison at Matara for the period of 12 months 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 Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Supply of Water for Matara Jail" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons not later than midday on April 28, 1914.

4. 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.

5. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 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.

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

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

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

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, or to the Superintendent of Prison, Matara.

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

Colombo, March 31, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for repairing and erecting at Madhu, in Metkumulai, the cadjan and post buildings as described in Schedule A below.

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

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Madhu Buildings" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should be delivered personally at the Mannar Kachcheri at 1 P.M. on April 27, 1914.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 5 will be required to be made at the Mannar 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 Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

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

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

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

Mannar Kachcheri,
April 6, 1914.

C. H. JONES,
Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE A.

Buildings referred to.

(1) Medical Officer's quarters: 2 rooms 12 ft. by 12 ft., with verandahs 8 ft. wide and 6 ft. high all round. The building is standing with roof on. The roof requires repairs. Cadjan walls and partitions to be newly done. Each room is to be provided with a door 7 ft. by 4 ft. 6 in., and 2 windows 5 ft. by 5 ft. with tats.

(2) Hospital: a similar house as above; but it is to be partitioned into 2 rooms, leaving 1 verandah on the south side facing the church. There will be 1 door 7 ft. by 4 ft. 6 in. to each room opening into the verandah, and 4 windows 5 ft. by 4 ft. to each room with lifting tats, i.e., there will be 2 windows each on east and west sides and 4 windows on the north side. The building is standing with roof on. The roof is to be repaired. The cadjan walls, partitions, &c., are to be newly done.

(3) Dispensary and dispenser's quarters: 3 rooms 12 ft. by 12 ft. The room at the hospital end is to be provided with half walls and tats and the other 2 rooms are to be fully cadjan-walled with a door and 2 windows each. The building is standing with roof on, which requires repairs.

(4) A house for the District Atikar: 3 rooms 12 ft. by 12 ft. The roof requires repairs. The front room is to be provided with half walls and tats.

(5) A house as above for the Interpreter.

(6) Police lines: 4 rooms 12 ft. by 12 ft. The roof requires repairs. It is to be partitioned into 4 rooms with a verandah on the east. Each room is to be provided with a door 7 ft. by 5 ft. opening into the verandah, and a window opposite 5 ft. by 5 ft.

(7) Police office and lock-up: 2 rooms each 12 ft. by 12 ft. The roof requires repairs, and the stick fence re-stringing. The office is to be provided with half walls and tats.

(8) Assistant Government Agent's bungalow requires thorough repairs.

N.B.—All works are to be carried out to the satisfaction of the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, who reserves

to himself the right to reject any work which he may consider badly executed. The floors of all the buildings are to be repaired with clay and cowdung.

(9) Six kitchens, one each for Medical Officer, Dispenser, Hospital, Police, District Atikar, and Interpreter, 10 ft. by 12 ft.

(10) Seven bathrooms as above, one each for Medical Officer, Dispenser, Police, District Atikar, and Interpreter, and two for the Hospital.

N.B.—The outhouses of the Assistant Government Agent are standing. They require re-cadjaning and repairs.

(11) Eight latrines with 12 compartments in each. The pits are to be 4 ft. deep and 3 ft. wide.

(12) A house with 2 rooms each 12 ft. by 10 ft. to be used as quarters for the Udaiyar and store for the Adigar's tools and disinfectants.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the construction of retaining walls in connection with the new Engine Shed and Yard at Nawalapitiya, including approximately 800 cubic yards excavation to foundations, 270 cubic yards concrete in foundations, &c., and 980 cubic yards concrete in walls above foundations.

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 Retaining Walls at Nawalapitiya" 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 to the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be considered as informal and rejected.

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

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

8. The tenders must give the following prices:—

- (a) Price per cubic yard for excavation to foundations.
- (b) Price per cubic yard of cement concrete in foundations.
- (c) Price per cubic yard of cement concrete in walls above foundations.

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

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

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

12. Drawings and specifications may be seen on application to the Engineer of Way and Works, from whom any further information may be obtained.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 6, 1914.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

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,
March 25, 1914.

E. T. MILLINGTON,
Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the jail 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 28, 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, other wise 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, April 8, 1914.

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

Schedule referred to.

Name of Jail.	Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of Tender Deposit. Rs.	Amount of Security. Rs.
Negombo	Raw provisions	100	500

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of country canes 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 Canes, ——— 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 28, 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 31, 1914.

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

Schedule referred to.

Name of Jail.	Amount of Tender Deposit.		Amount of Security.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Negombo	50	..	200	
Batticaloa	25	..	100	

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 28, 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 approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the default 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, April 7, 1914.

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

Schedule referred to.

Name of Institution.	Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of Tender of Deposit.		Amount of Security.	
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Hambantota Hospital	Cooked with milk	100	..	200	
Mihintale Hospital	do. ..	100	..	200	
Morerajala Hospital	do. ..	100	..	200	
Nikaweratiya Hospital	do. ..	100	..	200	
Kendangamuwa Hospital	Cooked without milk	100	..	200	
Avissawella Hospital	do. ..	200	..	400	
Kalutara Hospital	do. ..	200	..	400	
Haputale Hospital	do. ..	200	..	400	
Badulla Hospital	do. ..	300	..	600	
Balangoda Hospital	do. ..	400	..	800	
Galle General Hospital, including the Female and the Infectious Diseases Hospitals and the House of Observation at the same station	do. ..	400	..	800	
Karawanella Hospital	do. ..	500	..	1,000	
Dikoya Hospital	do. ..	500	..	1,000	

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following private properties of long-sentenced prisoners of this Jail for the quarter ended March 31, 1914, will be sold by public auction in the Bogambra Jail premises at 11 A.M. on Saturday, May 2, 1914:—

Register No.	Description of Property.
U 4,816 ..	One old vaity cloth, one old coloured handkerchief, one old banian, one old Cannanore coat, one tin lime case, one old cloth belt.
U 4,824 ..	One old white cloth, one old merino banian, one piece of rag.
U 4,825 ..	One old vaity cloth.
U 4,827 ..	One old white cloth, one old towel, one old cloth cap.
U 4,831 ..	One old sarong cloth.
U 4,833 ..	One old black chintz cloth, one old handkerchief, one old white banian, one old cloth belt.
U 4,840 ..	One old linen coat, one old shirt, one old handkerchief, one old white cloth.
U 4,852 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old handkerchief.
U 4,865 ..	One old white cloth, one old Cannanore cloth.
U 4,870 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old white cloth, one old banian, one old handkerchief.
U 4,871 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old Cannanore cloth, one old banian.
U 4,880 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old gauze banian, one old coloured handkerchief.
U 4,881 ..	One old Cannanore cloth, one old canvas belt.
U 4,885 ..	One old Cannanore cloth, one old chintz cloth, one old banian, three studs, one cloth belt, one pocket handkerchief.
U 4,890 ..	One old coloured cloth.
U 4,893 ..	One old white cloth, one old coat, two pieces rags.
U 4,904 ..	One old Cannanore cloth, one old coat, one old cloth belt.
U 4,913 ..	One old chintz cloth, one old cloth belt, one old handkerchief.
U 4,918 ..	One old white cloth, one old banian, one old coloured handkerchief.
U 4,919 ..	One old white cloth, one old Cannanore coat, two old shop buttons.
U 4,920 ..	One old white cloth, one old banian.
U 4,923 ..	One old coloured sarong, one old cloth, one old cloth belt.
U 4,924 ..	Two old sarong cloths.
U 4,926 ..	One old coloured sarong.
U 4,931 ..	One old chintz cloth, one old white banian, one old coloured handkerchief, one old belt.
U 4,938 ..	One old coloured vaity, one pair old trousers, one piece of rag.
U 4,939 ..	One old coloured sarong.
T 6,096 ..	One old Cannanore cloth, one old banian, one old towel, one old belt.
U 5,060 ..	One old coloured sarong, one old coloured handkerchief, one old rag, one old leather belt.
U 5,072 ..	Three old white cloths.
U 5,075 ..	Two old sarong cloths, one old banian, one old handkerchief.
U 5,085 ..	One old sarong cloth.
U 5,127 ..	One old Cannanore cloth, one old chintz cloth, one old cloth belt, one old shirt.
U 5,128 ..	Two old sarong cloths, one old banian, one old shirt, one old handkerchief.
U 5,138 ..	Three old vaity cloths, one old banian.
U 5,149 ..	One old white banian, one old Cannanore cloth, one old coloured sarong cloth, one old elastic belt.
U 5,156 ..	Two old white cloths, one old handkerchief, one old coloured sarong cloth.
U 5,157 ..	One old coloured sarong cloth, one old coloured handkerchief.
U 5,158 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old coloured banian.
U 5,185 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old Cannanore cloth, one old chintz cloth, one old banian, one old towel, one old handkerchief.
U 5,186 ..	One old chintz cloth, one old white cloth, one old banian, one old cloth belt.
U 5,289 ..	One old Cannanore cloth, one old white banian, one old towel, one piece of rag.
U 5,210 ..	One old sarong cloth, one old white banian, one old torn towel, one old cloth belt, one old handkerchief.
U 5,219 ..	Two old sarong cloths, one old handkerchief, one old cloth belt.

Other than Clothing.

- U 5,816 .. Three white metal rings.
U 4,871 .. Three white metal studs.

Bogambra Prison,
Kandy, April 6, 1914.

A. WALKER,
Superintendent.

LIST of unclaimed articles found in postal packets received in the Returned Letter Office during the fourth quarter ended December 31, 1913, to be sold by public auction at the General Post Office on Wednesday, April 29, 1914, at 2.30 P.M.:—

1 lot tea	1 lot stamped envelopes	1 lot picture post cards	1 lot religious cards
1 lot Sinhalese books	1 jacket	1 silver brooch	1 penknife
1 lace doily	1 lot Tamil books	2 brass chains	1 riding whip
1 lot picture post cards	1 brooch	1 whistle and chain	1 tin biscuits
1 satin cloth	2 pencils	2 pairs children's shoes	1 lot picture buildings
1 white cloth	1 lot tea	1 white cloth and coat	1 lot sundries
1 drawing cloth	1 tweed hat	2 blankets	1 lot magazines
1 lot books	1 funnel	2 pieces chintz	1 lot illustrated papers
1 banian	1 toy panorama	6 penknives	1 lot cut samples
1 magic lantern	1 Moorish cap	1 razor	1 lot paper bags
1 lot picture post cards			

C. ABEYWARDENE,
for Postmaster-General.