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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.

HEREAS by a Proclamation dated December 20, 1904, the provisions of section 31 and of the six sections following thereafter of "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895," as amended by the Ordinance No. 23 of 1900, came into operation within the towns of Hatton and Dikoya as set forth in the schedule thereto:

And whereas the limits of the said towns were amended and altered by a Proclamation dated December 21, 1909:

And whereas it is expedient to further amend and alter the said Proclamations in regard to the limits of the said-towns of Hatton and Dikoya in the manner specified in schedule hereto:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 31 (1) and (2) of "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895," and with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Proclamation amend and alter the said Proclamations, as from and after October 1, 1914, by substituting for the limits of the said towns of Hatton and Dikoya as set out in the said Proclamations the limits set out in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Third day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fourteen.

By His Excellency's command,

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Central Province, Kandy District.

Divisions as defined by Proclamation of December 21, 1909. Divisions as altered and amended by this Proclamation.

39 (a).—Hatton and Dikoya Towns.

Boundaries :-

North, the railway crossing near 12 milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road; west, a line drawn from that point to Shand's bungalow, thence along the Dunbar estate road to the junction of that road with the Dikoya cart road near the Dunbar cattle galas, thence along the Dikoya cart road with width of 100 feet from centre of road up to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate; east, a line from the railway crossing at 1½ milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road to the house occupied by the Secretary of Police Court, thence to the mill dam, and thence along the Hatton estate road to the junction of estates road below Adam's Peak Hotel tennis court, thence a straight line to the Up Home railway signal post, and thence a line passing behind Fisher's bungalow to the stream flowing between that bungalow and the cart road, then along the stream to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate to the point where it joins the Dikoya stream, and thence up the said stream to the point opposite the culvert on the Dikoya-Wanarajah road, including also a distance of 270 yards along the Bathford Valley road as far as the road leading to the Darrawela racecourse and including on the west all lands between the road and the Darrawela-oya up to its junction with the Dikoya stream, and on the east all land, &c., within 100 feet from the centre of the road. The following also shall be included within the limits, viz., the Dikoya cart road from the southern limit of the boundaries above described up to the southern limit of the Glencairn Hospital premises and including the whole of the Glencairn Hospital premises.

39 (a).—Hatton and Dikoya Towns.

Boundaries :-

North by the railway crossing near milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road; west by a line drawn from that point to Shand's bungalow, thence along the Dunbar estate road to the junction of that road with the Dikoya cart road near the Dunbar cattle galas, thence along the Dikoya cart road with width of 100 feet from centre of road up to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate; east by a line from the railway crossing at 1½ milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road to the house occupied by the Secretary of Police Court, thence to the mill dam, and thence along the Hatton estate road to the junction of estates road below Adam's Peak Hotel tennis court, thence a straight line to the Up Home railway signal post, and thence a line passing behind Fisher's bungalow to the stream flowing between that bungalow and the cart road, then along the stream to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate to the point where it joins the stream, and thence up the stream to the point opposite the culvert on the Dikoya-Wanarajah road, including also a distance of 270 yards along the Bathford Valley road as far as the road leading to the Darrawela racecourse and including on the west all lands between the road and the Darrawela-oya up to its junction with the Dikoya stream, and on the east all land, &c., within 100 feet from the centre of the road, and also the Dikoya cart road from the southern limit of the boundaries above described up to the southern limit of the Glencairn Hospital premises and including the whole of the Glencairn Hospital premises. The following also shall premises. The following also shall be included within the limits:—The path leading to the New Infectious Diseases Hospital from opposite the Glencairn Hospital about 2 chains in length and the premises of the New Infectious Diseases Hospital.

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.

NOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 19 (1) of "The Vehicles Ordinance, 1901," have made the by-laws set forth in the Schedule A hereto for the town of Negombo, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, within the limits set out and defined in the Schedule B hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Third day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fourteen.

By His Excellency's command,

SCHEDULE A.

By-laws under Section 19 (2) of the Vehicles Ordinance, No. 9 of 1901.

- 1. No person shall pull or draw a jinrickshaw for hire unless he holds a license from the Chairman, Local Board, Negombo. The license shall be in force from the date of its issue until December 31 next following. It shall contain the licensee's name in full and the licensed number, his nationality, the print of his left thumb, and any other particulars which may ensure his complete identification. Every such licensee shall wear in a conspicuous place on his left arm a metal badge bearing his licensed number to be provided by the Board.
- 2. The Chairman before granting the license shall make, or cause to be made, such inquiry as he may consider necessary regarding the character of the applicant for license, and his physical fitness for the work of pulling or drawing a jinrickshaw, and examine him, or cause him to be examined, as to his knowledge of the rule of the road. It shall be lawful for the Chairman to refuse to grant a license to any applicant, or to cancel, withdraw, or suspend any license granted by him, for such grounds as to him may seem reasonable.
- 3. Every person pulling or drawing a jinrickshaw for hire shall at any time when required to do so by an officer of police not under the rank of Inspector, Sub-Inspector, and Station House Officer, or by any officer of the Board, furnish proof of his identity by producing his license, or by allowing the impression of his thumb to be taken in such manner and at such places as the said officer may require.

 4. It shall be the duty of every person pulling or drawing a jinrickshaw for hire

4. It shall be the duty of every person pulling or drawing a jinrickshaw for hire to produce immediately for inspection his license when required to do so by any person who employs him for hire.

- 5. The number painted, branded, cut, or stamped, under section 11 of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1901, on any vehicle shall not be defaced or covered or concealed from view in any way whatever, and the driver or person in charge of any such vehicle, the painted, branded, cut, or stamped number of which is covered or concealed from view, shall be guilty of an offence.
 - (1) Any licensee of a licensed jinrickshaw who shall suffer it to be pulled or drawn by any other than a licensed person; or
 - (2) Any person who shall pull or draw a licensed jinrickshaw without having obtained alicense, or after it has been cancelled, withdrawn, or suspended, or its renewal refused;

shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable for each offence to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees.

- 7. The Chairman may from time to time appoint places as public stands for unengaged licensed vehicles and separate public stands for engaged licensed vehicles, and may at any time by notice abolish or alter the situation of any such public stand.
- 8. The driver of any licensed vehicle that is not actually under engagement for hire shall not ply for hire or accept a fare except at a public stand for unengaged licensed vehicles.
- 9. The driver of a licensed vehicle shall not at any time suffer the same to stand in any street (except for the purpose of setting down or taking passengers) or to loiter in any street, nor shall he obstruct the drivers of any other vehicle in taking up or setting down any person, or wilfully, wrongfully, or forcibly prevent or endeavour to prevent the driver of any other licensed vehicle from taking the fare.

SCHEDULE B.

North.--The northern boundary of Etukal Plague Hospital premises.

East.—Cemetery road to junction with Chilaw road, Chilaw road to junction with Cobler's lane, Colombo road to junction with Taladuwa road.

South.—Taladuwa road to junction with St. Joseph's street, part of St. Joseph's street from the said junction to the bridge over the old canal, the old canal to its junction with the lake, the eastern shore of the lagoon at high water running southward and south-eastward to a point cut by a line drawn due north-east from the southern most point of Munnakara island at high water, the said line as far as the southernmost point of Munnakara island at high water, a line drawn due west as far as the eastern shore of Pitipana.

West.—The shore of Pitipana and Duwa at high water as far as a point cut by a straight line drawn from the Duwa Church to the northern end of Dhoby's lane, the said line from the said point until it reaches the shore of the mainland, and the sea.

Within this area the whole of the island of Munnakara and Mankuliya is included, but not other small islands above high water mark.

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.

HEREAS in pursuance of section 39 of "The Colombo Municipal Council Waterworks Ordinance, 1907," the Municipal Council of Colombo has amended regulation 32 of the regulations in the schedule to the said Ordinance, as set forth in the schedule hereto:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in pursuance of the powers vested in Us by section 40 of the said Ordinance, do, by this Our Proclamation, notify that the said amendment has been confirmed by Us in Executive

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fourteen.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

- 32. The prices of water supplied by meter shall be as follows, viz.:-
- (1) To premises occupied wholly or in part-

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

 - (d) For keeping horses, cattle, or vehicles for sale or hire, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
- (2) To premises upon which water is used for-
 - (a) Swimming baths, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - (b) Fountains and hydraulic motors not used in connection with any trade, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - Watering gardens or compounds, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - (d) Building and road-making and road-repairing purposes, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.
 - (e) Shipping, Rs. 5 per 1,000 gallons.

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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.

THEREAS by section 8 of "The Police Ordinance, 1865," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, to establish a police force in any place other than large towns, though such force be not maintained in the manner prescribed by the said Ordinance, and to declare that certain of the provisions of the said Ordinance shall come into operation at such place specifying the limits thereof, and with the like advice from time to time to revoke, alter, or amend such Proclamation:

And whereas by a Proclamation dated January 1, 1904, a police force was established at Ratnapura, being a place other than a large town in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, under the provisions of the said section of the said Ordinance:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Proclamation dated January 1, 1904:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power in Us vested as aforesaid, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation dated January 1, 1904, by which a police force was established as aforesaid at Ratnapura, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty third day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fourteen.

By His Excellency's command.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

ROBERT CHALMERS.

WHEREAS by section 7 of "The Police Ordinance, 1865," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, from time time to time, as occasion may require, to establish, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, a police force for the effectual protection of person and property within such towns as to them shall appear to require the same, and that whenever such force shall be so established within any town, the said Ordinance shall come into operation therein:

And whereas by section 13 of the said Ordinance it is enacted that a Proclamation establishing a police force in any town shall also specify and define the limits of such town:

And whereas it is expedient to establish a police force at the town of Ratnapura, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, and to define the limits of such town:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, do hereby, as from and after October 1, 1914, establish a police force in the town of Ratnapura, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, under the provisions of the said section 7 of the said Ordinance, and do, under the provisions of the section 13 of the said Ordinance, define the limits of the said town to be those specified in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-third day of September, 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.

On the West.—A line from the north-western boundary of land appearing in title plan No. 99,563 following the eastern boundary of Galkadumukalana as far as the northern boundary of the land appearing in title plan No. 100,362, and thence a straight line to the river.

On the North and North-east.—Following the minor road to Weralupe from its junction with the Colombo road between the 54th and 55th mileposts to the bridge crossing the Katugas-ela, and thence along the Outer Circular road to the gate of the new cemetery, thence a line keeping to the west of the range of paddy fields to the bridge over Parakanda-ela on the minor road to Gilimale, and following this road as far as the Alubokkekumbura-ela, and along this ela to its junction with Kalu-ganga.

On the East.—Along the Hin-ela from its junction with Kalu-ganga to the Dolos-wala-ela, and along the Doloswala-ela to the Koraliwalatotupola on the We-ganga.

On the South and South-west.—The We-ganga and Kalu-ganga as far as the point where the line described as the western boundary meets the Kalu-ganga.

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

ROBERT CHALMERS.

WHEREAS by the 32nd section of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, intituled "The Local Boards Ordinance,1898," it is enacted that the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, exempt the inhabitants of any town from payment of the police tax and order the withdrawal of the whole or any part of the police force therein, and may with the like advice revoke such exemption and order of withdrawal, and after such revocation, the liability of the inhabitants to pay the police tax shall be revived:

And whereas by a Proclamation dated July 31, 1891, the police force established at Ratnapura, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, was withdrawn in terms of section 8 of Ordinance No. 27 of 1890:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Proclamation dated July 31, 1891:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power in Us vested as aforesaid, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation dated July 31, 1891, by which the police force was withdrawn as aforesaid at Ratnapura, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-third day of September, 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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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.

HEREAS by section 34 (1) of "The Ceylon Railways Ordinance, 1902," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to declare by Proclamation any road or path which the railway may cross to be a "minor crossing," and whether such "minor crossing" shall be closed by gates or not:

And whereas it is expedient to declare the road set out in the schedule hereto which the railway crosses between the stations of Madawachchi and Vavuniya, in the North-Central and Northern Provinces, to be a "minor crossing" for the purpose of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby declare the said road to be a "minor crossing" for the purpose of the said Ordinance, as from and after October 1, 1914, and that such "minor crossing" shall not be closed by gates.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Nineteenth day of September, 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.

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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 343 of 1914.

MR. H. E. Jansz having been appointed, subject to the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a Cadet in the Local Division of the Civil Establishment of the Colony, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that he be attached to the Kandy Kachcheri, with effect from September 28, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,

Colombo, September 25, 1914.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 344 of 1914.

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

Mr. Bertram Hill to the office of Government Agent, Eastern Province; Fiscal, Collector of Customs, and Receiver of Wrecks for the Eastern Province; Additional District Judge and Master Attendant, Batticaloa; Superintendent of the Prison at Batticaloa; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Eastern Province; and Member of the Board of Health, Eastern Province, with effect from September 24, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. C. R. CUMBERLAND to the office of Government Agent, North-Western Province; Fiscal, North-Western Province; Additional District Judge, Kurunegala; Superintendent of the Prison at Kurunegala; Visitor of the Prisons at Puttalam and Chilaw; Member of the Board of Health, North-Western Province; and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the North-Western Province, with effect from September 23, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. R. A. G. Festing to act as Government Agent, Northern Province; Fiscal, Collector of Customs, and Receiver of Wrecks for the Northern Province; Master Attendant for the several ports in the Northern Province; Visitor of the Prison at Jaffna; Member of the Board of Health, Northern Province; and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Northern Province, with effect from September 22, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. C. V. Brayne to the office of Assistant at Kalutara to the Government Agent, Western Province; and Collector of Customs, Beruwala; and Member of the Board of Health, Western Province, with effect from September 19, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. W. J. L. ROGERSON to the office of Office Assistant at Badulla to the Government Agent, Province of Uva; Assistant Superintendent of the Badulla Prison; Additional Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Badulla-Haldummulla; and Assistant Superintendent of Police, Uva, with effect from September 23, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. N. W. Morgappah to act, in addition to his own duties, as Registrar-General of Lands and of Marriages, Births, and Deaths, and Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, under the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, with effect from September 21, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. W. DURAISAMY to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, and a Visitor of the Prison at Jaffna from September 17, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. J. R. Molligoda to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, for October 2, 1914, during the absence of Mr. A. P. Boone on leave or until further orders.

Mr. N. J Martin to act as Additional District Judge, Chilaw, for September 25 and 26, 1914, during the absence of Mr. W. H. B. CARBERY from the station or until further orders.

Mr. D. G. GOONEWARDENE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle; Additional District Judge, Galle; and Municipal Magistrate, Galle, from September 21 to 26, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. J. DEVANE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. A. I. SHERINGHAM, Assistant Superintendent of Police, to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Districts of Ratnapura and Kegalla, with effect from October 1, 1914.

Mr. C. G. PIGGFORD, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Tangalla, to be, in addition to his own duties, Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Tangalla.

Mr. J. H. MARCEL, of Choisy estate, Pundaluoya, to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Nuwara Eliya, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, during the absence of Mr. N. J. Wilson Blackett from the Island.

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

No. 345 of 1914.

T is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. WALTER A. LEONARD provisionally, pending the receipt of instructions from HIS MAJESTY'S Government, as Consul of the United States of America at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, September 22, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No 346 of 1914.

T is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. Walter A. Leonard provisionally, pending the receipt of instructions from HIS Majesty's Government, as Acting Consul for Brazil at Colombo, in addition to his own duties as American Consul.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, September 22, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No.-347 of 1914.

T is hereby notified that Mr. WALTER A. LEONARD, American Consul, is at present in charge of the German and Austro-Hungarian Consulates at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, September 22, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 348 of 1914.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned, persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1915, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866:—

Negombo Town.

KOSTAPATABENDIGE JOSEPH MARIA EDMUND DALPA-DADO, Police Vidane of Tammita.

KURUKULASURIYA MANUEL FERNANDO.

WARNAKULASURIYA ARATCHCHIGE MATHEW JORNIS PERERA.

Dehiwala, &c.

Don Andris Senaviratna, Muhandiram, Gangodavila.

PETER PERERA GUNASEKARA, Vidane Arachehi, Galkissa peruwa, Watarappala.

EDWARD PERERA JAYAWARDANA, Karagampitiya.

Sedawatta.

Mr. D. J. Wanigasuriya, Sedawatta. Mr. B. P. Wijayaratna, Kotikawatta. Mr. C. J. P. Werasekara, Wellampitiya.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 18, 1914.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 349 of 1914.

TIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1915, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Avissawella.

D. S. WIJESUNDARA, of Kosgama.

D. B. G. JAYATILLEKA, Vidane Arachchi, Kosgama.

A. D. Udaris, Constable Arachchi, Puwakpitiya.

Puwakpitiya.

D. S. WIJESUNDARA, of Kosgama.

D. B. G. JAYATILLEKE.

A. D. Udaris, Constable Arachchi, Puwakpitiya.

Padukka.

M. D. A. JAYEWARDENE, Vidane Arachchi.

D. H. DE SILVA, of Galagedera.

J. A. JAYASINGHE, of Hanwella.

Hanwella.

D. P. R. JAYEWARDENE, Vidane Arachchi, Hanwella.

J. E. AMARASEKARA, of Hanwella.

J. A. JAYASINGHE, of Hanwella.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 18, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 350 of 1914.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Veyangoda for the year 1915, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Don Peeris Wijesundara, Vidane Arachchi of Bemmulla peruwa.

Samaradiwakara Rajapaksa Mohottallage Don Aron Appuhamy, of Pattalagedera.

RAJAKARUNA LIYANA ATUKORALLAGE DIONIS PERERA, of Pattalagedera.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 18, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 351 of 1914.

IIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Peliyandara for the year 1915, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Don Lewis, Police Vidane of Mampe.
HAPUTANTIRIGE DON DIONIS, of Tumbovila.
Don Remanis Wanigasekera, Vidane Arachchi of
Kesbewa peruwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, R., Colombo, September 18, 1914.

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No. 352 of 1914.

IIIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Pugoda for the year 1915, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Don Gabriel Jayasooria, Vidane Arachchi of Degamboda peruwa.

WARIYAPPERUMAGE DON SINNAPPU, Police Vidane of Pugoda.

Angage Joseph Peris Wickramaratne, Police Vidane of Kospitiyana.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, September 18, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 353 of 1914.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1915, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Point Pedro.

Mr. VELAUTHAR SUPPAR, of Puloly West.

Mr. VAIRAMUTTU VINASITAMBY, of Point Pedro.

Mr. APPARKUDDY VAIRAMUTTU, of Point, Pedro.

Valvedditurai.

Mr. Ampalavanar Ponnampalam, of Samarabaguthevankurichy.

Mr. Sanmugam Selvadurai, of Valvedditurai.

Mr. Murukesu Kumaravelu, of Valvedditurai.

' Kayts.

Mr. Santhiappillai Soosaippillai, of Karampan.

Mr. Soosaippillai Thomas, of Karampan.

Mr. ARUMUGAM SOMASUNDARAM, of Karampan.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. Stubbs,
Colombo, September 18, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 354 of 1914.

IS 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. DIONYSIUS ALEXANDER GUNATILAKE, of Talpitiya, to be an Inquirer for the Panadure totamune, Kalutara District, Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 18, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 355 of 1914.

IS 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. A. M. MACNELL, of Ingurugala estate, Dolosbage, to be an Inquirer for Udapalata division, Kandy District, vice Mr. H. S. POPHAM, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 22, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 356 of 1914.

IIIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. MURUGASER SIVAPRAGASAM, of Anuradhapura, to be a Notary Public at Anuradhapura and throughout the judicial division of Anuradhapura, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 21, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. D. L. Dharmawardhana to act as Registrar of Lands, Kandy, for three days from September 21, 1914, during the absence of Mudaliyar James G. de Silva from the station on other duty or until further orders.

Mr. F. R. DE ZILVA to act as Registrar of Lands, Matara, for two days from September 21, 1914, during the absence of Mr. F. L. Anthonisz from the station on leave or until further orders.

KONNAI MOHIDEEN ABUBAKKAR MOHIDEEN PILLAI LEBBE to be Registrar of Muhammadan Marriages of Kotmale division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, with effect from October 1, 1914. His office will be at Pundaluoya.

Mr. WILLIAM LOUIS WIJEWICKREMA to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Galle Municipality division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, with effect from September 16, 1914. His office will be at No. 10, Great Modera Baay street, Fort, Galle.

DON ARTHUR ABEYRATNA WICKREMESINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three months, with effect from October 1, 1914, vice DAVID HENRY DIAS WIJETILLERE SURIA-ARACHOHI, dismissed. His office will be at Pingahawatta at Godagama.

Dr. M. Vettivaloe to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, with effect from September 21, 1914, vice Dr. A. T. KURIVAN, transferred. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary at Kalpitiya.

Dr. Edwin Walter Scharenguivel to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ratnapura town division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from September 23, 1914, vice Dr. A. Lloyd Pereira, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Ratnapura.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 22, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the Gazette Notification dated April 1, 1914, it is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to confirm the appointment of K. M. Sudu Banda as 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. His office will be at Kapurallewatta in Alutwela; station: Etulwidiya in Kataragama.

By His Excellency's command.

Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. Stubbs,
Colombo, September 18, 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 HEENKENDE MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Yatinuwara No. 1A division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for thirty days from September 14, 1914, vice Registrar, S. D. KOBBEKADUWA, appointed Korala. His office will be at Wiharegawawatta in Danture.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed DISANAYAKE MUDIYANSELAGE KAPURUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hatalispaha Korale East division, and of Marriages (General) of Wanni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for fifteen days from September 15, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. KIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Embogama.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed Heratmudiyanselage Appuhamy Elawitigama to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dewamedi korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dewamedi hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for fifteen days from September 15, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, H. R. Horombuwe, on leave. His office will be at Dangahamulawatta in Elawitigama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed Alutwewe Mudiyanselagedara Appuhamy to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandapalle korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale North No. 4 division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for thirty days from September 1, 1914, vice the Registrar, P. M. Kiri Banda, dismissed. His office will be at Mudiyanselagedarawatta in Alutwewa; station: Gansabhawa Court in Galewela.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed WARAKAPITI MUDIYANSELAGE KALU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matale Pallesiya pattu No. 1 division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale East No. 2 division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for one day, September 8, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, W. M. APPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at Andeniyawatta in Weragama; station: Galkandegedarawatta in Pallegama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed SIYADORIS DIAS ABAYAWICKRAMA GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hinatigala division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three days from September 21, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, T. D. A. GUNASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Pillegewatta at Habaraduwa.

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 three days from September 10, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. Kulatunga, on leave. His office will be at Tennachchilaweuwatta at Wanduruppa.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 22, 1914.

ITH reference to the Gazette Notification dated June 16, 1914, it is hereby notified that M. B. KATUGAHA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehiwini palata, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Udukinda division, in Badulla District of the Province of Uva, will, with effect from October 1, 1914, hold his additional office and station, from the 15th to the 21st of every month, at Kotawera Udagama, instead of at Kotawera Pallegama.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, September 19, 1914. Bertram Hill, Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the Regulations of November 7, 1913, for gentlemen in the Civil Service will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, October 19, 1914, at 10.30 A.M., and following days, namely:—

Monday, October 19 ... Sinhalese | Thursday, October 22 ... Law
Tuesday, October 20 ... Law | Friday, October 23 ... Accounts
Wednesday, October 21 ... Law | Saturday, October 24 ... Tamil

If necessary, the examination in Tamil will be extended to Monday, October 26, 1914.

The examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, for officers in the Fourth Class of the Civil Service, will also be held on October 20, 1914, as well as at the Kandy Kachcheri.

It is also hereby notified that candidates will be given the option of using Codes in the examination in the Criminal Procedure Code and the Penal Code; they must, however, state when sending in their names what their decision is, as the character of the papers set for those who use Codes and those who do not will be different.

The examination for officers in the Police Department and the Forest Department, and the vivâ voce examination in the native languages for officers in the Public Works Department, the Irrigation Department, and the Railway Department, will be held at the same time and place.

Candidates are required to send in their names so as to reach this office not later than September 30, 1914.

Gentlemen in the Civil Service should state in their applications whether they are presenting themselves for the first or second examination, and whether they intend taking up Sinhalese or Tamil, and whether they wish to have the option of using Codes.

The hours of examination will be from 10.30 A.M. to 1.30 P.M. and from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M., exclusive of the vivâ voce examinations, which will be specially arranged for.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 26, 1914. NDER instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, it is hereby notified that all officers of the Reserve of Officers, resident in this Island, are required by the Army Council to return to England forthwith, and to report themselves to the War Office.

This order does not apply to officers employed under this Government.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 23, 1914. R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

"THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1895."

WHEREAS by Notifications dated July 1, 1899; December 20, 1904, and December 21, 1909, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, divided the several provinces of the Island for the purposes of the registration of births and deaths into the divisions specified in the schedules to the said Notifications:

And whereas it is expedient to amend and alter some of the said divisions:

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 of "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to amend and alter, with effect from October 1, 1914, the divisions specified in the first column of the annexed schedule in the manner specified in the second column thereof.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 3, 1914. R. E. Stubbs, Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Central Province, Kandy District.

Divisions as defined by Notification of December 21, 1909.

39 (a).—Hatton and Dikoya Towns.

North, the railway crossing near 14

Boundaries :---

milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road; west, a line drawn from that point to Shand's bungalow, thence along the Dunbar estate road to the junction of that road with the Dikoya cart road near the Dunbar cattle galas, thence along the Dikoya cart road with width of 100 feet from centre of road up to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate; east, a line from the railway crossing at 11 milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road to the house occupied by the Secretary of Police Court, thence to the mill dam, and thence along the Hatton estate road to the junction of estates road below Adam's Peak Hotel tennis court, thence a straight line to the Up Home railway signal post, and thence a line passing behind Fisher's bungalow to the stream flowing between that bungalow and the cart road, then along the stream to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate to the point where it joins the Dikoya stream, and thence up the said stream to the point opposite the culvert on the Dikoya-Wanarajah road, including also a distance of 270 yards along the Bathford Valley road as far as the road leading to the Darrawela racecourse and including on the west all lands between the road and the Darrawela-oya up to its junction with the Dikoya stream, and on the east all land, &c., within 100 feet from the centre of the road. The following also shall be included within the limits, viz., the Dikoya cart road from the southern limit of the boundaries above described up to the southern limit of the Glencairn Hospital premises and including the whole of the Glencairn Hospital

premises

Divisions as altered and amended by this Notification.

39 (a).—Hatton and Dikoya Towns.

Boundaries: --

North by the railway crossing near 11 milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road; west by a line drawn from that point to Shand's bungalow, thence along the Dunbar estate road to the junction of that road with the Dikoya cart road near the Dunbar cattle galas, thence along the Dikoya cart road with width of 100 feet from centre of road up to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate; east by a line from the railway crossing at 11 milepost on the Dimbula-Dikoya road to the house occupied by the Secretary of Police Court, thence to the mill dam, and thence along the Hatton estate road to the junction of estates road below Adam's Peak Hotel tennis court, thence a straight line to the Up Home railway signal post, and thence a line passing behind Fisher's bungalow to the stream flowing between that bungalow and the cart road, then along the stream to the southern boundary of the Dikoya estate to the point where it joins the stream, and thence up the stream to the point opposite the culvert on the Dikoya-Wanarajah road, including also a distance of 270 yards along the Bathford Valley road as far as the road leading to the Darrawela racecourse and including on the west all lands between the road and the Darrawela-oya up to its junction with the Dikoya stream, and on the east all land, &c. within 100 feet from the centre of the road, and also the Dikoya cart road from the southern limit of the boundaries above described up to the southern limit of the Glencairn Hospital premises and including the whole of the Glencairn Hospital premises. The following also shall be included within the limits:—The path leading to the New Infectious Diseases Hospital from opposite the Glencairn Hospital about 2 chains in length and the premises of the New Infectious Diseases Hospital.

Divisions as defined by Notification of December 21, 1909.

39 (b).—Uda Bulatgama, Ambagamu Korale South, Division No. 3 (excluding the portion included in the Hatton-Dikoya Towns Division).

Boundaries :--

North by Dikoya-ganga; south by Ranmudu-oya in Kotiyagala; east by Adam's Peak; and west by Laxapanagala estate (excluding from the above boundaries that portion of the Dikoya road and the Glencairn Hospital premises included within the Hatton-Dikoya towns division).

Divisions as altered and amended by this Notification.

39 (b).—Uda Bulatgama, Ambagamu Korale South, Division No. 3 (excluding the portion included in the Hatton-Dikoya Towns Division).

Boundaries :-

North by Dikoya-ganga; south by Ranmudu oya in Kotiyagala; east by Adam's Peak; and west by Laksapanagala estate (excluding from the above boundaries that portion of the Dikoya road and the Glencairn Hospital premises and the path leading to the New Infectious Diseases Hospital from opposite the Glencairn Hospital about 2 chains in length and the premises of the New Infectious Diseases Hospital included within the Hatton-Dikoya towns division).

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

TT is hereby notified for general information that (a) His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to set apart the lot of land described in the school by the second of the lot of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which is the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the villagers of the village Puwakgahakadawala, in the Kiniyama korale of the Katugampola hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lot on free permits issued by the Government Agent, Kurunegala, in accordance with the rules made by the Village Committee, under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Governor reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lot or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office Colombo, September 16, 1914.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO. .

The following lot situated in the village of Puwakgahakadawala, in the Kiniyama korale of the Katugampola hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province :

Preliminary plan 1,401.

Lot.

Name of Land.

Extent. A. R. P.

Kahatagahahena

83 2 10

"THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

To is hereby notified that the following by-law made by the Local Board of Kalutara, under section 57 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898 in substitution for the Local Board of Kalutara, under section 57 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, in substitution for the one made by that Board, and published in the Government Gazette No. 6,425 of February 17, 1911, has been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and is hereby published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

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

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

Every householder or occupier of any house or premises within the Local Board limits of Kalutara having a dry-earth closet in such house or premises shall pay to the Board the sum of one rupee per mensem for every bucket in such closet cr closets in such house or premises, and the conservancy of such house or premises shall be undertaken by the Board.

"THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, 1899."

T is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of the powers vected in him by costing 25 of "The Governor and Physics Ording 200" has been pleased of the powers vested in him by section 35 of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinauce, 1899," has been pleased to order that from and after October 1, 1914, burials or cremations in the burial ground called Delgahawatta, attached to the Roman Catholic Church at Pattiya North, in Panadure, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, and bounded on the north and east by a water-course, south by Second Cross road, and west by the Colombo-Galle road, shall be discontinued.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, September 21, 1914.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

OTICE is hereby	given mai appno	cauc	nis have been received for grains in and of the following schools:—
B. Gunananda Thero	••	••	Makandura Vernacular Girls' School, which is situated in Katugampole hatpattu, Pitigal korale of the Kurunegala District, of the North-Western Province.
Rev. C. Ganegoda	••	, .	Makandura Vernacular Girls' School, which is situated in Katugampole hatpattu, Pitigal korale of the Kurunegala District, of the North-Western Province.
The Salvation Army	••	••	Maliadda Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Galboda pattu Galboda korale of the Kegalla District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than October 26, 1914.

Education Office, Colombo, September 22, 1914. EDWIN EVANS, Acting Director of Education.

THE CEYLON MEDICAL COLLEGE.

Long Session, 1914-15.

THE Ceylon Medical College will re-open for the Long Session on Thursday, October 1.

The registration of students will take place on September 29 and 30, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. each day.

N.B.—Students entering for the session are particularly warned to see that receipts for fees paid and all certificates and other papers that may be required for their enrollment are brought up to the Registrar personally before 2 P.M. on the last day of registration, viz., September 30.

Ceylon Medical College, P. James Kelly, Colombo, September 10, 1914. Registrar.

Fees Payable for Searches and Copies in the Marriages, Births, and Deaths Registration Department.

O^N and after October 1, 1914, fees for making searches and copies of records in the Marriages, Births, and Deaths Registration Department, charged according to the scale below, should be paid by means of stamps attached to the applications. Stamps so affixed should neither be initialled nor dated, nor bear any other mark of cancellation:—

SCALE REFERRED TO.

Marriages.

For search of registers of each	registration	CIVISION						
covering a period of one year or less '								
For every additional year								
Copying fee			50					
Births and Deaths.								
For search of registers of each registration division								

Note.—The stamp of 50 cents (not included in the above fees) payable on the application should as heretofore be cancelled by the applicant.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, September 16, 1914. BERTRAM HILL, Registrar-General.

Cents.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 2-inch metal at stations on the Coast Line between October, 1914, and September, 1915. The approximate quantity of metal required is 100 cubes per month at any stations between Matara and Panadure.

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 Road Metal for 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, October 6, 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. 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 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. Tenders must state the price per cube of 100 cubic feet piled at the station, and state at which station, and quantity per month, they can deliver.

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

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

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

12. Further particulars can be obtained from the Engineer of Way and Works, Captain's Garden, Colombo.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, September 7, 1914

D. McMillan,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 250 tons of hard foundry coke for use on the Ceylon Government Railway for six months from date of acceptance of tender.

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

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

Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of hard Foundry Coke to the Ceylon Government Railway in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, October 13, 1914.

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

unless it is on the recognized form.

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

7. A sample of coke must be submitted for testing purposes, irrespective of whether the coke has or has not been previously tested or used by the Ceylon Government

8. Each sample of coke for testing must be delivered to the railway workshops in a lot of 1 ton free of all cost, loaded in bags, and with the name of the coke labelled on each bag (linen labels should be used).

The samples should be delivered as early as possible, but in no case later than October 5, 1914, and must be from

bulk and not hand picked.

10. The coke must be hard and suitable for foundry purposes. All inferior and unsuitable coke will be rejected.

11. The coke is to be delivered free of all charges in either railway wagon or cart to the railway workshops, and the quantity delivered is to be in six monthly instalments of about 40 tons in any one month, as may be ordered from time to time by the General Manager.

12. In addition to the definite supply of coke as specified above, the contractor shall, if required, supply a further quantity of coke up to, but not exceeding, 50 tons, at the same rates and subject to the conditions laid down in the contract, and delivery of all or a part of this extra contract supply shall be given whenever required on two months' notice in writing being given to the contractor by the General Manager of the Railway.

13. 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.

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

15. The security should be furnished within ten days of

acceptance of tender being notified.

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

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

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

19. 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.

20. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to

execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

General Manager's Office, Colombo, September 21, 1914.

D. McMillan, Acting General Manager.

CEALED offers, in duplicate, bearing on the cover "Tender for the purchase of Satinwood illicitly felled in Maha Iluppallama Crown Forest," will be accepted up to October 13, 1914, by the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, for the purchase of 87 satinwood trees lying felled and cut into 190 short lengths of between 5 and 7 ft. in the above-mentioned

The timber will be stamped personally in the presence of the purchaser or a trustworthy representative by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura Division, in the forest, and will be primarily removed to the junction of the Andiagala pinpara with the Talawa-Maha Iluppallama road at the 142 milepost, and will there await further check before removal permit to Talawa station is

3. Intending purchasers should quote a rate per cubic foot, written both in words and figures, and satisfy themselves of the nature of the timber before making any offer.

4. Should any other short pieces of the same description be found in the forest in excess of the number enumerated above and hitherto undetected, the purchaser will be allowed to remove the same at the same rate and under the same conditions.

The timber measures approximately 1,391 cubic feet. 6. The timber must be removed within three months of the acceptance of tender, and any timber left unremoved within this period will revert to the Crown.

7. Full value of the timber should be paid within fifteen

days on intimation of the acceptance of the tender. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through

the post.

Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied on application at the Forest Office, Anuradhapura, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized

A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced therefor before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to pay the full value of the timber after he has tendered within fifteen days of receiving notice from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura Division, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract, and the acceptance of the tender will be void. All other deposits will be returned on the acceptance of the highest tender.

11. 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 work.

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

> A. B. Lushington Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura Division.

Forest Office, Anuradhapura, September 9, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase and removal of about 75 tons scrap iron, which can be inspected at the Government Factory.

2. All tenders must be forwarded in sealed envelopes, and addressed to the Factory Engineer, Government Factory, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Scrap Iron" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Factory Engineer not later than midday on October 27, 1914.

Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Factory Engineer, or be sent to him through the post.

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

6. Before any tender is accepted the tenderer will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 200 for the complete fulfilment of the agreement, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Factory Engineer that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.
7. The Government does not bind itself to accept the

highest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

8. The full amount of the purchase money must be paid to the Assistant Director of Public Works before any of the iron purchased will be allowed to be removed.

Public Works Office. H. B. LEES, Colombo, September 23, 1914. for Director of Public Works.

CEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for removing Salt during the Fish-curing Season, from October 12, 1914, to April 30, 1915, from the Stores at Puttalam, and weighing and storing it in the Store at Udappu," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent of Puttalam up to 1 P.M. on October 5, 1914.

Tenderers are requested to observe the following condi-

tions:

(a) Money deposit of Rs. 20 to be made in the Puttalam Kacheheri before October 3, 1914, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails on acceptance of his tender to enter into a contract within a reasonable time.

- (b) Duplicate of tender to be forwarded by post to the Hon, the Controller of Revenue at the same time the tenderer forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.
- (c) Tenderer to name an address in Puttalam for delivery of any notices.
- (d) Tenderers are requested to state the rate of hire for every boat load of 280 cwt. of salt to be taken from Puttalam to Udappu.

For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri, September 16, 1914.

S. M. P. VANDERKOEN, for Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS will be received by the Principal Civil Medical A Officer at his office at Colombo up to midday on September 29, 1914, for the purchase of kitchen refuse of the following institutions for the period commencing from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915:—

- (a) General Hospital, Colombo.(b) Lunatic Asylum, Colombo.
- (c) Leper Asylum, Hendala.
- 2. Separate tenders are required for each institution, and the successful tenderer will be required to enter into a contract with the Department and to furnish security in the sum of Rs. 25 in cash.
- Further particulars and forms of tenders can be obtained on application at the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer or at the respective institutions.

W. C. H. TRIPP, for Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hspitals.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction on October 10, 1914, at 2 P.M., at the Police Court, Dandagamuwa:

- 3 katties
- 3 axes
- · 1 roll of barbed wire and a
- piece
- 2 bottle lamps 1 lot bottles
- 2 cups
- 3 funnels
- 1 scythe 4 umbrellas
- 1 trunk
- 3 boxes
- 2 files
- l auger
- l spannel 1 piece of a brass machine 1 hanging lamp
- 10 mats
 - l coconut scraper
- I brass lamp
- 4 tumblers
- 5 mamoties
- 1 lot coconuts
- 2 Cannanore cloths
- 2 manna knives

1 Buddhist robe jakwood sideboard 10 bottles schnapps 2 bottles portwine

guriny bags

- 4 glasses 1 corkscrew
- 1 hackery
- 1 lamp 2 phials
- 1 white cloth
- l chair
- 1 packing case box
- I knife 1 scapular
- 3 plates
- 1 scale
- 2 deer skins
- 1 purse
- 2 rings
- 4 buttons
- 2 buttons
- 1 coat
- 2 rice pounders
- C. L. WICKREMESINGHE. Police Magistrate.

THE under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by auction at 2 P.M. on the 29th instant at the Postal Store:

- 5 hanging lamps
- 5 table lamps
- 1 brass lamp
- 1 spare oil well
- 5 spare burners
- 17 inkstands
- 13 hurricane lanterns
- 2 hurricano lamps
- 1 letter scale
- 2 rulers
- 8 spears and bells
- 11 notice boards
- 3 door rugs
- 14 chairs

- 19 drawer locks 3 pairs scissors
- pairs hinges, brass

5 letter boxes

3 tables

1 rickshaw

1 iron safe

1 clock

2 counter tables

1 sorting table

1 blotting pad

1 padlock, brass

padlocks, iron

- 1 lot zinc
- W. C. MACREADY.

General Post Office, Colombo, September 19, 1914. Assistant Postmaster-General.

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Ceylon Medical College on Thursday, October 1, 1914, at 2 P.M. :-

- 1 drum, empty, spirit 8 jars, empty, formalin
- 1 chair, plain
- 5 tins, empty, zotal 25 tins, empty, glycerine

P. JAMES KELLY, Registrar.

Colombo, September 23, 1914.

2 necklets of beads

3 rings

2 bangles and bracelets

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l thaly

4 bangles and bracelets

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unclaimed articles lying in this Court, and belonging to the patients who died in the hospitals at Kegalla and Karawanella, will be sold by public auction at this Court on Friday, October 2, 1914, commencing at 1.30 P.M.:—

2 bangles 10 bangles, common 2 rings I necklet of beads 9 bangles, common 2 beads 2 bangles 1 necklet of beads 1 thaly 2 bangles I necklet of beads 7 rings 1 necklet of beads l bangle I necklet of beads 1 ring 2 bangles 1 nose ornament 4 bangles 2 bangles 2 necklets of beads 1 necklet of beads 2 bangles 1 necklet of beads 2 rings 1 necklet of beads 6 rings 4 bangles 1 thaly 5 rings 2 bangles, common l nose ornament 3 coins 2 bangles, common l necklet of beads 2 bangles, common 2 rings 2 necklets of beads l nose ornament 2 bangles, common 2 bangles 2 bangles l earring I necklet of beads 1 ring l earring I necklet of beads l nose ornament 4 rings, common 2 bangles 4 bangles, common 4 necklet of beads l sura, silver 6 rings 2 bangles 1 necklet of beads l necklet of beads l earring 3 bangles 1 necklet of beads necklet of beads 2 rings 1 thaly $2 \, rings$ 2 bangles 1 bangle I necklet of beads 10 bangles l ring 2 necklet of beads 3 necklets of beads 3 rings 2 bangles, common 2 bangles 1 nose ornament necklet of beads 1 necklet of beads l ring, common 2 bangles, common 4 rings I nose ornament necklet of beads 2 bangles ring, common 1 necklet of beads necklet of beads 2 bangles 2 bangles, common 4 bangles 3 bangles, common l necklet of beads 1 waist-chain 2 earrings I necklet of beads 2 bangles 2 bangles, common l necklet of beads I necklet of beads $4 \, \mathrm{rings}$ I necklet of silver 2 bangles I necklet of silver l necklet of beads bangles and bracelets 3 bangles, common l necklet of beads l necklet of beads 2 necklets of beads l nose ring I necklet of beads 2 bangles, common 2 bangles and bracelets 20 cents cash 1 necklet of beads 4 bangles and bracelets 1 necklet of beads 2 bangles 3 bangles I necklet of beads 2 rings 5 rings 4 earrings 3 bangles 4 bangles and bracelets l necklet of beads 5 bangles and bracelets 6 rings 3 necklets of beads l nose ring 2 bangles and bracelets l chain I necklet of beads cross 3 rings 3 necklets of beads I necklet of beads 2 earrings 2 necklets of beads 4 rings 1 ring 1 hawady 2 necklets of beads I nose ornament 3 necklets of beads earring 3 rings 3 waist-chains 3 bangles and bracelets l thaly necklet of beads l necklet of beads 2 bangles and bracelets

2 bangles and bracelets

l earring

District Court. A. P. BOONE, Kegalla, September 21, 1914. District Judge. HE following found and unclaimed articles will be L sold by public auction at the Railway premises, Maradana, at 2.30 P.M., on Wednesday, October 14, 1914, 1 lot 12 tapping knives l raincoat marked A do. B ₫o. C do. D đο. \mathbf{E} do. 1 raincape l overcoat marked A do. В Ò do. do. Ď Ē do. do. 1 lady's overcoat 1 fibre suit case marked A 1 lot toys I fibre suit case marked B do. do. \mathbf{D} Gladstone travelling bag l leather hand bag marked A do. I lot 2 tennis racquets 1 thermos flask 1 lot 3 boxes buttons 1 hand bag, small 1 lot 1 douche and 5 tooth brushes I lot bottles, medicine, &c. 1 lot rubber tyre and inner tube 1 lot 3 hurricane lanterns 1 lot 2 tiffin carriers I bundle dirty linen marked A do. 1 lot enamelled ware, glassware, earthenware, &c. lot 2 deck chairs 1 lot mats and pillows I table l empty barrel 1 lot hats I lot boots, shoes, and sandles 1 lot 4 bundles tea shooks 1 lot 5 sheets zinc roofing tin coconut oil lot 1 bag cotton and 1 bundle fibre I lot packing cases, empty baskets, and gunny bags 1 small barrel cement I lot 4 bent combs
I lot 3 pipes, I tobacco pouch, I cigarette case, and 3 penknives pair spectacles marked A lot 2 pairs spectacks marked B lot 1 razor, 1 shaving stick, and shaving brush electric torch measuring tape lot 2 inflators and set geometrical instruments lot 2 bundles hoop iron and 2 lengths iron lot 3 gents' umbrellas marked A lot 3 gents' umbrellas marked B 1 lot 5 gents' umbrellas marked A do. do. do. do. I lot 8 gents' umbrellas marked A do. do. 1 lot 10 gents' umbrellas marked A do.

l lot 16 gents' umbrellas l lot 24 gents' umbrellas		1 lot 5 walking-sticks marked E
1 lot 6 ladies' umbrellas		1 trunk
1 lot 5 ladies' umbrellas		1 lot 2 hanging lamps
1 lot 2 carpenters' planes and saw	11.7	1 lot 1 sewing basket, 1 water pail, 1 tom-tom, and lot
1 lot 3 walking-sticks marked A		planks
1 do. B	•	1 scent spray
I do. C		I coin pendant
1 do. D	, i i	1 lot 1 bracelet, 1 hairpin, and collar pin
do. E		1 coloured pincenez
do. E		1 pair rolled gold bangles
l lot 5 walking-sticks marked A	·	1 lot bangle and brooch
1 do. B	•.	
1 do. C		General Manager's Office, D. McMillan,
1 do. D	*1	Colombo, September 23, 1914. Acting General Manager.

VITAL STATISTICS

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended September 19, 1914.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 116 (2 Europeans, 7 Burghers, 70 Sinhalese, 15 Tamils, 13 Moors, 6 Malays, and 3 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1914, viz., 243,089) was 24 9, as against 21 2 in the preceding week, 24 1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 24 4 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 126 (1 European, 5 Burghers, 56 Sinhalese, 35 Tamils, 24 Moors, 3 Malays, and 2 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 27.0, as against 29.6 in the previous week, 29.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.0 the weekly average of last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 126 total deaths, 33 were of infants under one year of age, as against 31 in the preceding week, 28 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 12.

Principal Causes of Death.—Thirteen deaths from Phthisis were registered, as against 16 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 5 were in Maradana (including 2 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 3 in New Bazaar, 2 in St. Paul's, 1 in Kotahena, 1 in Kollupitiya, and 1 in Wellawatta.

- 2. Nine deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, as against 16 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 4 were in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital), 2 in Kotahena, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 in Slave Island. Seven deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered.
- 3. Three deaths from Smallpox were registered. Of these, 2 were in New Bazaar and the other in Kotahena. There were none in the previous week. Twenty-one cases were reported, as against 8 in the previous week.
- 4. One death from *Plague* was registered in Maradana. There were none in the previous week. Three cases were reported, as against 4 in the previous week.
- 5. Thirteen deaths from Debility were registered, 9 from Enteritis, 9 from Infantile Convulsions, 2 from Diarrhæa, 2 from Dysentery, 1 from Worms, and 57 from Other Causes.
 - 6. No deaths from Enteric Fever were registered. There were 2 in the previous week.
- 7. Twelve cases of *Chickenpox* were reported, as against 7 in the previous week. No cases of *Measles* were reported. There was 1 in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82.3°, against 81.9° in the preceding week and 80.8° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.832 in., against 29.839 in. in the preceding week and 29.867 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0.09 in., against 0.83 in. in the preceding week and 0.04 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, September 22, 1914. A. DE S. WICKRAMATILARA, for Acting Registrar-General.