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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 87 of 1915.

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

Mr. H. R. FREEMAN to the office of Government Agent, North-Central Province; Fiscal for the North-Central Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura; Superintendent of the Prison at Anuradhapura; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the North-Central Province; and Member of the Board of Health, North-Central Province, with effect from March 9, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. A. C. G. WIJEYEKOON to act as Additional District Judge, Kandy, for March 13 and 15, 1915.

Mr. A. C. G. WIJEYEKOON to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kandy, and Municipal Magistrate, Kandy, and while so acting to exercise concurrent jurisdiction over the Panwila district, from March 14 to 27, 1915, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. C. H. COLLINS on leave.

Mr. M. S. SRESHTA to the office of District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, and a Visitor of the Prison at Jaffna, with effect from March 11, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. G. F. ROBERTS to be Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle; Additional District Judge, Galle; Municipal Magistrate, Galle; Visitor of the Prison at Galle; and Visitor of the House of Observation, Galle, with effect from March 12, 1915, until further orders.

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Mr. H. THORNHILL, Superintendent of Police, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Central Province, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Kandy.

Dr. A. C. H. DICKMAN, District Medical Officer, Puttalam, to be an Official Member of the Local Board, Puttalam, *vice* Dr. W. C. PIERIS, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, March 12, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 88 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. H. HOULBERG provisionally as Consul for Denmark at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, March 10, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 89 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. A. WARDEN provisionally as Acting Honorary Consul for Japan at Colombo during the absence of Mr. H. C. BIBBY from the Island.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, March 12, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

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APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. E. T. HITCHCOCK as Additional Registrar of Lands, Jaffna, *vice* Mr. C. SARAVANAMUTTU, transferred.

NAWARATNA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA NAWARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (Kandy and General) of Uda Palata No. 3 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for one month and sixteen days, with effect from March 16, 1915, *vice* Registrar, N. M. UKKU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Nawaratnamudiyanselagewatta at Wattelena.

Mr. SARAVANAMUTTU SUPPIAH provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kokkuvil-Kondavil division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, with effect from March 22, 1915, *vice* Registrar, R. KATIRAVELU, deceased. His office will be at Chaddaikalatti in Kokkuvil East.

Mr. HERBERT ERIC JANSZ to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from March 5, 1915, *vice* Mr. T. GOONETILLEKE, transferred. His office will be at the Batticaloa Kachcheri.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 9, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to confirm the appointment of WARNASURIYA PATABENDIGE WILLIAM DE SILVA as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province. His office will be at Naluarambewatta at Kataluwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
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, Northern Province, has appointed MURUKESAR TAMPAPILLAI, Adigar, to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from January 1, 1915, *vice* Registrar, C. K. ARUMUKAM, deceased. His office will be at Chaddaikalattium Udayamalakivalavum in Kokkuvil East.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed MURUKESAR TAMPAPILLAI, Adigar, to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for twenty-seven days from January 31, 1915, *vice* Registrar, C. K. ARUMUKAM, deceased. His office will be at Chaddaikalattium Udayamalakivalavum.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed Mr. SINNATTAMPIYAR SOLOMON NANIPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from February 10, 1915, *vice* Registrar, J. C. SHERRARD, deceased. His office will be at the Mission compound in Point Pedro.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed Mr. VAYIRAMUTTU MUTTUKUMARU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from February 27, 1915, *vice* Registrar, C. K. ARUMUKAM, deceased. His office will be at Hemakuda in Nallur.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed Mr. TAMPAMUTTU PONNAIYA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for March 4, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, K. S. CHANDRASEGARAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Jaffna Kachcheri.

The Provincial Registrar, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, has appointed CHANDRASEKERA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nuwaragam korale division, and of Marriages (General) of

Nuwaragam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for thirty days from February 15, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, J. MUDALIHAM, on leave. His office will be at Linelawatta, Diganegama.

The Provincial Registrar, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, has appointed KAWURALA GAMARALAGE RANHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matombuwa korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Hurulu palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for fifteen days from March 1, 1915, *vice* K. APPURALA, dismissed. His office will be at Kongahawatta in Konwewa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON DAVIT RANAWEERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for five days from March 6, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. S. EKANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Kiruwalagodawatta in Balukawala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON MATHES ABYEWICKRAMA WIJESUNDERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kanuketiya Lower division, and of Marriages (General) of East Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for four days from March 2, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. A. WIJESUNDERA, on leave. His office will be at Dehigahawatta in Lunama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. J. G. KROON to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two weeks from February 25, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. M. VETTIVALOE, from the station on other duty. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary, Kalpitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed Mr. HETTIARATCHIGE DON GABRIEL to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Anavilundan and Munnessaram pattus, north of Deduru-oya division, and of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale North division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for four weeks from March 10, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, H. DON JOSEPH, on sick leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's house at Rajakadalawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed WICKKARAMPATRIGE RATTARANHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meda pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Kukulu korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for six days from February 26, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, FRANCIS DELGODA, on leave. His office will be at Kukulegama in the permanent Registrar's Office.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 9, 1915.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that Miss (Dr.) WINIFRED NELL, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 5 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, will, with effect from February 27, 1915, hold her office at No. 252, Alutmawata road, Kotahena, instead of at No. 90, Alutmawata road, Kotahena, as notified in *Gazette* No. 6,563 of May 23, 1913.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 4, 1915.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that S. R. DE SARAM, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Galahitiyawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Ragam pattu of Alutkuru Korale South division, of the Colombo District of the Western Province, will, with effect from the 4th instant, hold his office at Delgahawatta in Batuwatta, instead of at Kongahawatta in Meddegama, as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 6,621 of April 24, 1914.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1915.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IN terms of section 24 of the Minute of December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of his temporary employment for pension purposes :—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Dr. E. C. Alles	Medical Officer, Grade II.	Lecturer in Anatomy in the Ceylon Medical College.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 10, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

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

John Edmund de Saram.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 10, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

"THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

THE following by-law framed by the Local Board of Moratuwa, under the provisions of section 56 (21) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, and approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 5, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

All householders or other persons who are desirous that the dust, ashes, sweepings, and other refuse from the premises occupied by them should be removed by the scavengers of the Board shall deposit the same in sanitary dust bins, of a pattern approved by the Board, made of galvanized iron, and provided with covers and handles and bearing the numbers of the houses painted on them, on the edge of the road outside their respective dwellings or shops in accordance with the time table drawn up and notified by beat of tom-tom by the Local Board; and it shall not be lawful for any person to place or cause to be placed such dust, ashes, sweepings, rubbish, or refuse in any street unless the same shall be contained in a receptacle of the aforesaid description; and every such person shall remove such receptacles within the space of half an hour after the same shall have been emptied by the scavengers.

"THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

THE following by-law made by the Local Board of Negombo, under the provisions of section 56 (21) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, and approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 5, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

All householders or other persons who are desirous that the dust, ashes, sweepings, and other refuse from the premises occupied by them should be removed by the scavengers of the Board shall deposit the same in sanitary dust bins, of a pattern approved by the Board, made of galvanized iron, and provided with covers and handles and bearing the numbers of the houses painted on them, on the edge of the road outside their respective dwellings or shops in accordance with the time table drawn up and notified by beat of tom-tom by the Local Board; and it shall not be lawful for any person to place or cause to be placed such dust, ashes, sweepings, rubbish, or refuse in any street unless the same shall be contained in a receptacle of the aforesaid description; and every such person shall remove such receptacles within the space of half an hour after the same shall have been emptied by the scavengers.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified for general information (a) that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to set apart the lots of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which are the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the inhabitants of the village of Kosgahagoda, in the Kinyama korale of the Katugampola hatpattu of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lots on free permits issued by the Government Agent, Kurunegala, in accordance with 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 lots or of any portions thereof whenever he thinks fit.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 5, 1915.

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

Lot.	Name of Land.	SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.		Extent.
		Preliminary plan 1,379.		
1	Ahatugamahulahena	118 3 13
11A	Kumbukgahakele	1 0 20
				<hr/> 119 3 33

“THE RURAL SCHOOLS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, NO. 14 OF 1913.”

THE following by-law framed by the District School Committee, Colombo District, under the provisions of section 4 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1913, and approved by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in place of by-law No. 6, published in *Gazette* of February 25, 1910, is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 6, 1915.

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

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

6. Every parent who shall be proved to be guilty of a breach of any of these by-laws shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 20, or in default of payment to imprisonment, rigorous or simple, for a period not exceeding fourteen days, and in the case of a continuing offence to an additional fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per day.

WITH reference to the Notification dated February 15, 1915, appearing in the *Gazette* of February 26, 1915, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the persons whose names appear in the subjoined schedule to be Registrars of Births and Deaths for the divisions noted opposite their respective names, holding office in the places appearing in column 4.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1915.

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

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Province of Uva, Badulla District.

No. of Division.	Name of Registrar.	Name of Registration Division.	Place of Office.
31 ..	Don Simon Gunasekera ..	Sittarama korale division ..	Mahagedarawatta in Ewariyapelessa
32 ..	Siriwardenege Piyaratne Hami	Kongala - Bintenna korale division	Alutwewa

“THE MARRIAGE REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1907,” AND “THE FOREIGN MARRIAGES ORDINANCE, 1903.”

IT is hereby notified that the following officers, in addition to the officers already so authorized by “The Foreign Marriages Ordinance, 1903,” have been authorized, with effect from the date hereof, to receive notices and issue certificates for the purposes of “The Foreign Marriage Act, 1892,” viz. :—

- (1) The Provincial Registrars for their respective Provinces; and
- (2) The Assistant Provincial Registrars for their respective districts.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 25, 1915.

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

“THE NOTARIES ORDINANCE, 1907.”

NOTICE is hereby given, as required by the provisions of clause 21 (1) of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Governor that Mr. Charles Perera Wijeyawardhane Jayatilaka, Notary Public of Dunagaha, in the District of Negombo, has been guilty of gross misconduct in the discharge of his duties, His Excellency, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in terms of clause 20 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, cancelled the warrant of the said Notary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 9, 1915.

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

"THE BUDDHIST TEMPORALITIES ORDINANCE, 1905."

THE following rules made by the District Committee of Yatikinda division, in the Province of Uva, under the provisions of section 12 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 8 of 1905, and approved by His Excellency the Governor and the Executive Council, are hereby published for general information in pursuance of section 13 of the said Ordinance.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 15, 1915.

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

Rules framed by the District Committee of the Yatikinda Division, in the
Province of Uva, under Section 12 of the Buddhist Temporalities
Ordinance, No. 8 of 1905.

CHAPTER I.

For determining the Quorum necessary for the Transaction of Business.

1. Three members of the District Committee shall form a quorum.

CHAPTER II.

For regulating the Time and Place of Meetings, and the Conduct and Record of the Proceedings.

2. The meetings of the District Committee shall be held at the Badulla Buddhist English School on the first Saturday of every month at 2 P.M.
3. The Committee shall, however, have the power to meet at any other time or place in the district on six days' previous notice thereof being given in writing to the members.
4. The Committee shall select a competent person as Secretary of the Committee.
5. The business of the Committee at its meetings shall be taken in the following order, viz. :—
 - (a) The minutes of the previous meeting shall be read and (if need be) corrected and confirmed, the President signing such confirmation.
 - (b) The accounts of trustees and all other returns and communications addressed to the Committee or President during the preceding month shall be taken up in the order of their dates and necessary orders made thereon.
 - (c) All memorials, petitions, complaints, applications, notices, &c., addressed to the Committee or to its President by the general public shall be considered and necessary orders made thereon.
 - (d) Questions of which previous notice has been given shall be considered.
 - (e) Reports of Special Committees shall be brought up and considered, unless the Committee shall, for some good reason, reserve them to be dealt with by a subsequent Committee.
 - (f) Any other matter set down in the notice of meeting shall be proceeded with.
 - (g) Any person presenting a petition or other communication to the District Committee shall attend and appear with the necessary witnesses on the date appointed by the Committee. The Secretary shall in Committee record their evidence and read over the same to the witnesses, and after correcting errors, if there be any, shall cause each witness to sign the evidence given by him.

The President.

6. (a) The President shall preside at all meetings of the District Committee.
- (b) In the absence of the President, or in the event of his being a candidate for a trusteeship, one of the members of the District Committee shall be selected as President by the remaining members of the District Committee and the business gone through.
7. When the votes of the members present at an election or in regard to a matter under discussion shall be equally divided, the President shall, beside his vote as a member, have a casting vote.
8. The President shall preserve order at meetings, and see that business is done in a fitting manner. He shall also decide all points of dispute, and his decision in all such matters shall be final and conclusive.

The Secretary shall, at the conclusion of a discussion, minute the votes, after which the President shall declare the number of votes for and against, at the same time giving his vote. Any member in the minority shall record the reasons of his dissent from the opinion of the majority, and forward such written dissent to the Secretary within one week. The Committee then shall have power to confirm the previous decision or set it aside, recording reasons for so doing, or make any other order as the Committee shall deem expedient.

The Secretary.

9. The duties and responsibilities of the Secretary are as follows :—
 - (a) Summoning public meetings.
 - (b) Summoning monthly meetings, written notice thereof being issued to the members at least four days before the day fixed for the meeting. The business intended to be transacted should be mentioned in the notice.
 - (c) Recording proceedings of meetings in the Minute Book.
 - (d) Keeping the books and documents of the Committee in a systematic order.
 - (e) Attending to correspondence and despatching them after entering the same in the Numbering Book.
 - (f) Entering the discussions of both parties at debates and the votes in the Minute Book and submitting the same to the President.
 - (g) Discharging all other duties of a Secretary as directed by the President or District Committee.

Members.

10. (a) Any member presenting a petition or other communication shall be responsible for its contents being respectful.
 (b) Every member while speaking shall address the chair, and shall do so standing.
 (c) In discussing any motion no member shall be at liberty to speak more than once, except in explanation or when any matter is under discussion.

CHAPTER III.

For prescribing the Form in which all Accounts, Statements, and Returns incidental to the Business of the District Committee and that of the Trustees shall be kept.

11. The Basnayaka Nilames and all trustees shall, within twenty days of the expiration of every year, make a full return to the District Committee in the Form A hereto annexed of all movable property and money in their charge.

12. All trustees and Basnayaka Nilames shall, within three months of their being called upon to do so by the District Committee, furnish to the District Committee a full and correct list of all lands belonging to each vihare and dewale in the Form B hereto annexed, and shall note thereon all such lands that have been sold, mortgaged, or otherwise alienated before the passing of the Ordinance No. 8 of 1905. In the event of any lands being dedicated to a vihare or dewale after the transmission of the list above named, such dedications shall be reported by the trustee or Basnayaka Nilame to the District Committee within a month of such dedication.

13. All trustees and Basnayaka Nilames shall, on or before October 31 in each year, furnish to the District Committee a statement in duplicate of the probable receipts and proposed expenditure for the next ensuing year in the Form C hereto annexed.

14. All trustees and Basnayaka Nilames shall keep a Receipt Book in the Form D hereto annexed in foil and counterfoil consecutively numbered, and no trustee or Basnayaka Nilame shall receive any temple money or grain without issuing a receipt from such book.

15. The trustees of vihares shall keep a Cash Book in the Form E hereto annexed, in which shall be entered all money and all grain and all other income coming into their hands, and all expenses incurred by them.

16. The trustee shall keep a Voucher Book in the Form F hereto annexed consecutively numbered, and one of such vouchers shall be filled up for every payment made by them.

17. At the close of every half-year a copy of the Cash Book for that period shall be submitted to the District Court as the account to be rendered under section 22 of the aforesaid Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance within the time specified by that section, and with the declaration required by that section inserted at the foot of the accounts, and at the same time the trustee shall report to the District Committee the date on which he submitted his accounts to the District Court.

18. All trustees shall, within a month of the expiration of every year, submit a report to the District Committee as to whether all paraveni tenants have performed the services due from their respective pangus for the past year, and if there were any defaulters, the report shall state the names of the defaulters and the steps taken against such defaulters.

19. When a temple is given in charge of a trustee, the trustee shall sign a receipt of acceptance of the temple and all property appertaining thereto in trust in the Form G hereto annexed. In the case of minor vihare or dewale, the trustee shall be put in charge by the member of the division where such temple is situated in the presence of the incumbent priest or kapurala and two witnesses. The trustee shall sign a receipt in triplicate, one of which shall be sent by the member to the District Committee, one shall be given to the incumbent priest, and the other shall be retained by the trustee; in the case of a minor dewale, the receipt shall be given to the chief kapurala. In the case of the principal temples in the district, such as the Mutiyangana Vihare, the Badulla Kataragama Dewale, and the Bogoda Vihare, the trustees shall be put in charge by the President and the members. The trustee or the Basnayaka Nilame of the temple shall sign a receipt in triplicate, one to be kept by himself, one to be sent to the Committee, and the other to the Government Agent of the Province of Uva.

20. The District Committee shall keep a Cash Book and Receipt Book and a Voucher Book of expenses in the Forms E, D, and F, and their accounts shall be verified at the Committee meetings by the Secretary of the District Committee.

21. The funds of the District Committee shall be placed in the Bank of Uva, or in any other bank fixed by the District Committee by their resolution, and shall be drawn on cheques to be signed by the President and Secretary.

CHAPTER IV.

For regulating the Management of Temple Schools.

22. All the pirivenas, pansalas, and Buddhist schools where religious instructions are chiefly given and the teaching of Elu, Pali, and Sanskrit is carried on shall be recognized as temple schools that should be maintained by the income of temples.

23. The trustees of vihares shall be bound to contribute towards the maintenance of pirivenas and pansalas so much as the revenue of the vihares as shall be fixed by the District Committee, and the trustees of dewales shall be similarly bound to contribute towards the maintenance of Buddhist schools.

CHAPTER V.

For determining the Amount which each Temple within the District shall contribute as its Share of the Cost of carrying out the provisions of "The Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, 1905."

24. Every temple shall contribute 5 per cent. of its gross annual income for defraying the cost of carrying out the provisions of the Ordinance; such sum shall be paid by the temples to the District Committee from date of publication of these rules.

25. After meeting the costs of carrying out the provisions of the Ordinance from these contributions, the balance shall be held by the District Committee in its charge to the credit of the Temple School Fund.

26. Within thirty days after the confirmation of these rules the trustees of all temples shall remit to the District Committee the contributions due from each temple at 5 per cent. for the year 1914, and thereafter the trustees shall remit within the first month of the first half-year one-half of the contribution due for the whole year, and the remaining half within the first month of the second half-year. The payment of the contributions shall be made by the trustees in the aforesaid manner as long as these rules remain in force. In case of default the amount due shall be recovered by process of law.

CHAPTER VI.

For determining and recording the Godurugama or Villages attached to each Temple.

27. The District Committee shall obtain from the Chief Headman of the several divisions, through the Government Agent of the Province of Uva, reports as to the villages to which the respective temples of the districts are attached by ancient custom, or may fittingly be attached for the purpose of voluntary almsgiving.

28. Having considered the reports with such other material as the Committee may think fit, the Committee shall determine to what villages the said respective temples shall be attached, and shall declare such villages to be the godurugama of the respective temples for the purposes aforesaid.

The Committee shall cause lists of the villages so determined to be recorded in respect of each temple in the book prescribed by section 14 of the Ordinance, and the villages so recorded shall thereupon become the villages to which the temple is attached for the purpose of the election of trustees under section 17 of the Ordinance.

CHAPTER VII.

For regulating Matters regarding the due exercise of the Powers of the District Committee, and the Performance of the Duties of the District Committee under the Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.

29. A candidate for a Basayaka Nilameship or a trusteeship shall with his application submit a recommendation from the Chief Headman of the division as to the fact of his being possessed of all the qualifications required by section 8 of the Ordinance. All applications unsupported by such recommendations shall be rejected by the Committee.

30. If any trustee of a temple to whom due notice in writing with a copy of the charge or charges preferred against him has been given fails, without showing sufficient cause, to answer such charge or charges, the inquiry shall be proceeded with in his absence. Any such trustee feeling aggrieved by such *ex parte* decision shall be entitled to ask for a re-hearing, on his showing good cause for his absence to the satisfaction of the Commissioner or the District Committee.

31. Copies of all deeds of leases executed by trustee under section 27 of the Ordinance shall be furnished by such trustee to the District Committee, who shall file them of record in their office.

32. The District Committee shall, whenever they deem it necessary or expedient so to do, authorize one or more of their members or any person or persons to be deputed by them to inspect and report upon the condition and management of any temple, and to appraise the lands belonging thereto sought to be leased or otherwise, and to furnish a report thereon to the District Committee.

33. The District Committee shall inspect and examine all the books, accounts, and papers, and property and moneys belonging to the temple and in charge of the trustee, by deputing one or more of their members for the purpose, at any time, and so often as the Committee deem such inspection necessary.

34. Offerings of all moneys made to the vihares and dewales shall be verified monthly, on the last day of the month and on the last day of the festivals, by the trustees or Basnayaka Nilames in presence of the officiating laymen of the temples, and the trustees or Basnayaka Nilames shall, on the first day of the following month, report to the District Committee the amount of such money offerings.

35. Every trustee who shall be elected after the confirmation of these rules, and all trustees and Basnayaka Nilames previously appointed, shall, as required by the 17th section of the Ordinance, give security to the District Committee for the period elected for the due discharge of their trusts in such sums as may be determined by the District Committee by their resolutions, provided that such security shall not exceed the amounts noted below, viz., in the case of the trusteeship of Mutiyangana Vihare a sum not exceeding Rs. 2,000, in the case of the Basnayaka Nilameship of the Badulla Kataragama Dewale a sum not exceeding Rs. 2,500, in the case of the trusteeship of the Bogoda Vihare a sum not exceeding Rs. 1,500, in the case of the trusteeship of the Rambukpota Vihare a sum not exceeding Rs. 500, in the case of the trusteeship of the Passara Vihare Rs. 750, in the case of the trusteeship of Ella, Nawela, and Udugala Vihares Rs. 600 each, and in the case of the trusteeship of Budugekanda Vihare Rs. 500, and in the case of the trusteeships of all other intermediate vihares and dewales the security shall be determined by the District

Committee according to their income; such security shall be given either in cash or unencumbered landed property. When tendering security in landed property, a certificate from the Chief Headman to the effect that the lands so tendered are free from previous security and mortgages shall be furnished. The trustees and Basnayaka Nilames shall have the security bonds drawn up at the cost of the temples. Such security bonds shall be drawn up in the name of the President of the District Committee and filed of record in the office of the District Committee. When the District Committee have satisfied that, after the confirmation of these rules, the management of the temples has been properly attended to, the trustees shall receive such remuneration as may be fixed by the District Committee proportionate to the income of each vihara.

36. A certificate under the hand of the President of the District Committee shall be the only proof of the election of a trustee or Basnayaka Nilame.

37. It shall be competent for the District Committee to make inquiries from trustees with regard to the performance of the internal duties and customary rites of a temple, and the trustee shall on such inquiries being made forthwith supply the information sought for.

38. When a trustee's accounts are transmitted to the District Committee by the District Court, it shall be competent for the District Committee to scrutinize such accounts and find out whether the income of all lands belonging to such temple and all moneys received have been accounted for, and whether any unauthorized expenditure has been made; and if the District Committee shall detect that an incorrect account of the income has been given and unauthorized payments have been made, and that payments have been made without obtaining receipts therefor, the District Committee shall call upon the trustee for explanation, and shall make all inquiries they deem necessary and expedient and make such necessary orders thereon.

Sangha.

39. Every charge or charges preferred against any incumbent or Tewakarana Bikshu of any temple, whether held under any special tenure or not, shall be referred by the District Committee to the Sangha Sabhawa of the College to which such incumbent or Tewakarana Bikshu belongs. The Sangha Sabhawa shall make a careful inquiry into the charge after due notice to the priest in question, and forward the full proceedings of the case, together with their decision, to the District Committee within three months from the date of reference. The District Committee shall have power to refuse maintenance from temple funds to priests who have been found guilty by such Sangha Sabhawa.

Passed at a meeting of the District Committee of Yatikinda held at the Badulla Buddhist School on October 31, 1914.

W. DON PABILIS APPUHAMY,
President, District Committee,
Yatikinda Division.

D. A. BOGAHAKUMBERA,
Member, Wiyaluwa Division.

T. B. GALAGODA,
Member, Udukinda Division.

FORM A. (Rule 11.)

Return of Movable Property and Money belonging to _____, in Yatikinda Division of the Province of Uva, for the Year 191—.

Description of Property.	Gold, Silver, or what.	Weight.	Value.	Remarks.
			Rs. c.	

This _____ day of _____, 191—.

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

I, _____, trustee of _____, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct list of the movables and money belonging to the above-named _____ and in my charge on December 31, 191—.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

FORM B. (Rule 12.)

Return of Lands required under Section 14 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 8 of 1905.

Name of temple : _____, situate at _____.
 No. in the Register : _____.
 Situation :—
 Province : _____.
 District : _____.
 Korale : _____.
 Village : _____.
 Name of land : _____.
 Extent : _____.
 Description of land :—
 Paraveni or maruvena : _____.
 Field, garden, or chena : _____.
 Value : _____.
 Name of occupants : _____.
 On what terms : _____.
 Annual rent : _____.
 Name of trustee : _____.
 Name of incumbent : _____.
 The average income during the last three years : _____.
 Extent and boundaries of the land reserved for the temple : _____.
 Remarks : _____.

(Signature) _____,
Incumbent Priest.

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.

FORM C. (Rule 13.)

Statement showing the Probable Receipts and Proposed Expenditure for the Year 191—, on account of the _____, in Yatikinda Division of the Province of Uva.

Description of Probable Receipts.	Amount.		Proposed Expenditure.		Remarks.
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
<i>Receipts.</i>					
State rent of each land and each house, quantity of paddy from muttettu and bandara fields and maruvena pangus and their value also madaran offerings.					
<i>Expenditure.</i>					
State particulars in detail under the various heads referred to in section 20 of the Ordinance.					

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.

FORM D. (Rule 14.)

Voucher.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.
 No. _____.

Name of temple : _____.

If paddy, number of bushels, at _____
 Re. 1.50 per bushel : _____.

From whom received : _____.

Particulars : _____.

Signature of the payer : _____.

Signature of the trustee : _____.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.
 No. _____.

Name of temple : _____.

Received from _____, the trustee
 of _____, the sum of Rs. _____,
 being _____.

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

FORM E. (Rule 15.)

Receipt and Payment Book of _____, in Yatikinda Division of the
Province of Uva.

Receipts.

Date of receipt : _____.
No. of receipt : _____.
Name of person paying : _____.
Particulars : _____.
Amount : _____.
Remarks : _____.
Signature of the trustee : _____.

Payments.

Date of payment : _____.
No. of voucher : _____.
Date and No. of District Committee's authority for payment : _____.
To whom paid : _____.
Particulars : _____.
Amount : _____.
Remarks : _____.
Signature of the trustee : _____.
The _____ day of _____, 191—.

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

FORM F. (Rule 16.)

Voucher or Receipt.

No. : _____.
Name of temple : _____.
To whom paid : _____.
Full name and residence : _____.
Nature of service for which payment was made : _____.
Amount : _____.
Date of payment : _____.
Place of payment : _____.
Date and No. of sanction of the District Committee : _____.
Received from the trustee of _____ the sum of Rs. _____ for the service
above specified.

(Signature) _____,
Receiver.

Witnesses :—

(1) _____.
(2) _____.

Names in full and the residence of the witnesses :—

(1) _____.
(2) _____.

FORM G. (Rule 19.)

List of Movable Property belonging to _____, in Yatikinda Division of the
Province of Uva.

Description of property : _____.
Gold, silver, or what : _____.
Weight : _____.
Value : _____.
Remarks : _____.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the property appearing in the above
list has been verified and given in charge of _____, the newly-appointed trustee
of _____, in Yatikinda division of the Province of Uva.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.

(Signatures of those who give in charge) _____.

I, the undersigned _____, trustee of _____, in Yatikinda division of the
Province of Uva, do hereby acknowledge the receipt of the above property belonging
to the _____ in my charge.

(Signature) _____,
Trustee.

The _____ day of _____, 191—.

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

9. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

10. Sales will not be allowed for the Night Mail trains.

11. Only four salesmen will be allowed on the platform in attendance on any one train.

12. The contract is on no account to be assigned or sublet.

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

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

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

16. 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.

17. 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, March 8, 1915.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned services:—

To remove the following 115 logs containing c. ft. 2,976 (more or less), load, ship, and to deliver them to the Central Timber Depôt cart contractor at the Landing Jetty in Colombo in sound condition within two months from date of signing the contract, viz. :—

From Batticaloa Bar ..	30 ransilogs containing c. ft. 1,050	
From Panichchenkerni		
Outbay Depôt ..	25 do. do.	726
From Mailankarachhi		
Outbay Depôt ..	60 halmilla logs do.	1,200
Total ..	115	2,976

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, and the originals should be addressed to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, and the duplicate to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, and be either delivered or be sent through the post to the respective officers.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Shipment of Timber, Batticaloa District, to the Central Timber Depôt," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, and the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, not later than midday on Wednesday, March 24, 1915.

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

5. 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, and also be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a higher rate of tender being accepted subsequently for the service advertised herein.

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 securities will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be 5 per centum of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa.

8. A rate per cubic foot of timber delivered should be quoted, written both in words and figures.

9. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, nor any tender imposing conditions beyond those actually laid down in the notice. Tenderers are advised to satisfy themselves thoroughly as to the work and conditions before tendering.

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.

Forest Office,

H. F. TOMALIN,

Kandy, March 8, 1915.

Acting Conservator of Forests.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for repairing the Salt Stores Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 12, 13, 16, 17, and 18, Nachchikalli," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 P.M. on March 18, 1915, from persons willing to contract.

Specification.

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

Bulges of stores to be thoroughly repaired and made straight.

Insides of stores to be lined with new cadjans.

Floor of stores to be raised with clay in required places, levelled, and stamped.

Windows to be repaired.

Hinges on doors of stores to be repaired.

Tenderers to observe the following conditions:—

Money deposit of Rs. 10 to be made in any Kachcheri or before March 17, 1915, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails to enter into contract within a reasonable time to be determined by the Assistant Government Agent.

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

No advance will be given.

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

For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri,
March 2, 1915.

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

TENDERS are hereby invited for clothing for Government Stores, Queen's House, Port Surgeon's Department, Pioneers, Postal Department, &c., from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Clothing, Government Stores," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 20, 1915.

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

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the making of clothing for the Police Department from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Police Clothing" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 20, 1915.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sawn teak from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sawn Teak" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 20, 1915.

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

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of boots and shoes from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Boots and Shoes" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 8, 1915.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of Calicut and Mangalore tiles, first quality (flat, half, ridge, ventilation, glass finials, and ornamental ridge), from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Calicut and Mangalore Tiles" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 8, 1915.

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

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

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

8. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper. The name of the tenderer, name of manufacturing firm, and place of manufacture should be marked on them.

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of best coke from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for best Coke" 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 8, 1915.

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

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

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

8. Samples (ten hundredweight) of each kind for testing purposes must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of furniture from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Furniture" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 15, 1915.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 6, 1915.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of lime (slaked, unslaked, and boiled), clay (white and yellow), and coral stones from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Lime" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 8, 1915.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

March 6, 1915.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks, tiles (half-round and ridged), bamboos, cadjans, posts, and sea sand from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Bricks, &c.," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 8, 1915.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Colonial

Storekeeper, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

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

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

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

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

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

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

March 6, 1915.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

WITH reference to the notice dated March 2, 1915, appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* of the 5th instant, notice is hereby given that the said notice is cancelled so far as it relates to the Dikoya Hospital, as the present contract does not expire till September 30, 1916.

W. C. H. TRIPP,
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Colombo, March 8, 1915. Inspector-General of Hospitals.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from May 1, 1915, and terminating on September 30, 1918.

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 March 30, 1915.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for one, two, or three years.

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

Colombo, March 10, 1915.

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

Name of Institution.	Schedule referred to. Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Amount of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Kolonna Hospital	.. Cooked diets with milk	.. 200	.. 400
Rakwana Hospital	.. do.	.. 300	.. 600

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period of three years commencing from October 1, 1915, and terminating on September 30, 1918.

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 March 30, 1915.

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 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, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for one, two, or three years.

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

Colombo, March 4, 1915.

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

Name of Institution.	Schedule referred to. Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Amount of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Batticaloa Hospital	.. Cooked diets with milk	.. 100	.. 200
Chilaw Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Dandagamuwa Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Koslanda Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Mannar Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Mihintale Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Moneragala Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Mullaitivu Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Nikaweratiya Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Point Pedro Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Talaimannar Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Trincomalee Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Undugoda Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Vavuniya Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200

TENDERS are hereby invited for the service named in the schedule hereunder for the period of three years commencing from October 1, 1915, and terminating on September 30, 1918.

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 _____" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 30, 1915.

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 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, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

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

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

9. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for one, two, or three years.

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

Colombo, March 6, 1915.

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

Service.	Schedule referred to.	Amount of	
		Least Number required per Mensem.	Amount of Tender Deposit. Rs.
			Amount of Security. Rs.
Government Vaccine Establishment, Kanatta : supply of calves on hire for vaccination 25	.. 300

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles produced in the Joint Police Court cases will be sold by public auction at the Joint Police Court, Colombo, on Saturday, March 20, 1915, at 11 A.M. :—

1 belt	3 linen shirts
1 piece of silk	1 suit pyjamas
21 ebony elephants	2 pairs pyjamas
2 inkstands	1 bottle of gin
2 coconut jugs	1½ bushel of rice

Joint Police Court, C. E. STAINER,
Lieut.-Commander, R.N.,
Colombo, March 9, 1915. Acting Joint Police Magistrate.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned movables forming part of the estate in District Court case No. 112 will be sold by public auction at the Vavuniya Courts on March 16, 1915, at 10 A.M. :—

4 she-buffaloes,

District Court, E. T. HUGHES,
Mullaitivu, March 3, 1915. District Judge.

THE following unserviceable articles belonging to the Police Department, Tangalla, will be sold by public auction at the Tangalla Police Station on March 22, 1915, at 8.30 A.M. :—

1 armchair	1 oil can
2 hanging lamps	2 bedroom lamps
1 table lamp	1 stretcher

March 8, 1915. J. E. BENNETT,
for Superintendent of Police.

THE following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Tangalla Jail premises on Saturday, March 20, 1915, at 9 A.M. :—

2 buckets, pail, wooden
1 chair, arm, wooden
2 saucepans, enamelled

Tangalla Prison, F. D. PERIES,
March 6, 1915. Superintendent.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended March 6, 1915.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 144 (7 Burghers, 77 Sinhalese, 24 Tamils, 22 Moors, 6 Malays, and 8 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1915, viz., 247,397) was 30.3, as against 28.9 in the preceding week, 21.1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 22.2 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 128 (6 Burghers, 67 Sinhalese, 26 Tamils, 17 Moors, 4 Malays, and 8 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 27.0, as in the previous week, against 29.2 in the corresponding week of last year and 26.7 the weekly average of last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 128 total deaths, 38 were of infants under one year of age, as in the preceding week, against 13 in the corresponding week of the previous year and 27 the average of last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 9.

Principal Causes of Death.—Fifteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, as against 6 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 7 were in Kotahena, 5 in Maradana (including 2 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 2 in Slave Island, and 1 in Wellawatta. Three deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered.

2. Thirteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, as in the previous week, against 14 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 5 were in Maradana (including 2 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 2 in Kotahena, 1 in Pettah, 1 in St. Paul's, 1 in New Bazaar, 1 in Slave Island, 1 in Kollupitiya, and 1 in Wellawatta.

3. Three deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, as against 4 in the previous week and 2 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 1 was in Kotahena, 1 in New Bazaar, and 1 in Slave Island.

4. Three deaths from *Smallpox* were registered, as against two in the previous week. Of these, 2 were deaths of non-residents in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellawatta, and 1 in Maradana. Two cases were reported, as in the previous week.

5. No deaths from *Plague* were registered. There was 1 in the previous week. No cases were reported. There were 2 in the previous week.

6. Nineteen deaths from *Infantile Convulsions* were registered, 12 from *Enteritis*, 5 from *Dysentery*, 4 from *Debility*, 2 from *Tetanus*, 1 from *Worms*, and 48 from *Other Causes*.

7. Eighteen cases of *Chickenpox* were reported, as against 22 in the previous week. One case of *Measles* was reported. There was none in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 81.8°, against 81.7° in the preceding week and 81.3° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.894 in., against 29.845 in. in the preceding week and 29.861 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 8.14 in., against nil in the preceding week and 2.66 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo; March 9, 1915.

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