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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

ROBERT CHALMERS.

WHEREAS the port of Trincomalee has been brought within the operation of the Masters Attendant's Ordinance, No. 6 of 1865, by a Proclamation dated March 20, 1886:

And whereas by section 6 of the said Ordinance it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, frame and establish such port rules not inconsistent with the said Ordinance as he may think necessary for any of the purposes in the several sub-sections of the said section specified:

And whereas the Governor in Executive Council has from time to time made certain port rules in respect of the said port, that is to say, the port rules dated December 29, 1893, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 5,264, dated the said December 29, 1893:

And whereas it is expedient that the said rules should be revoked, and that other rules should be framed and established for the said port:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with advice and consent aforesaid, do hereby revoke the said rules dated December 29, 1893, and do establish for the said port of Trincomalee the port rules set out in the schedule hereto, and We do further promulgate the said rules to take effect as from and after July 10, 1915.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Rules and Rates of Boat Hire for Licensed Boats for the Port of Trincomalee.

1. Owners and tindals of boats shall give notice at the Master Attendant's Office whenever for repair or other causes boats are withdrawn from work or from the port, so that their numbers may be taken off the register for the time they are so withdrawn.
2. The transfer of a boat by the owner should also be notified at the Master Attendant's Office.
3. No licensed boat shall land any passengers or goods at any other places than those appointed by the Assistant Collector of Customs. The tindal or person in charge of any boat offending against this rule shall be liable to the penalty imposed by the Ordinance, in addition to the suspension of his license and that of the boat.
4. The number of persons the boat is licensed to carry shall be legibly painted in some conspicuous place abaft.
5. No boat whatever shall communicate with the vessels until after the visit of the Government port boat. The tindal or person in charge of any boat offending against this rule shall be liable to the penalty imposed by the Ordinance, in addition to the suspension of his license and that of the boat.
6. Complaints against any of the Master Attendant's Department or any of the boatmen of this port should be made to the Master Attendant as soon as possible, in order that the complaint may be at once inquired into.
7. The following are the rates of boat hire for the port of Trincomalee :—

	In Back Bay when the Vessel lies to the South of an imaginary line drawn from Swamie Rock Point to Paddukal, or in the Inner Harbour when lying to the N.E. of a line drawn through the S.W. points of York Island and Plantain Point.	In Back Bay when the Vessel lies to the North of an imaginary line drawn from Swamie Rock Point to Paddukal, or in the Inner Harbour when lying to the S.W. of a line drawn through the S.W. points of York Island and Plantain Point.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
For landing or shipping grain or sugar, per bag	0 3	0 5
For filling and shipping water, per ton	1 25	2 50
For landing sand ballast, per ton	0 50	0 75
For landing stone ballast, per ton	0 75	1 25
For shipping sand ballast, per ton	1 0	1 50
For shipping stone ballast, per ton	1 25	2 0
For the hire of any boat exceeding 6 tons	3 0	4 0
For the hire of any boat exceeding 6 and not exceeding 9 tons	3 50	5 0
For the hire of any boat exceeding 9 tons	4 0	6 0
Cargo boats or canoes going off with passengers only, for each passenger, by day	0 25	0 50
Cargo boats or canoes going off with passengers only, for each passenger between the hours of 8 P.M. and 5 A.M.	0 37½	1 0

Note 1.—Boats hired on Sundays, Christmas Day, and Good Friday to receive double hire.

Note 2.—Boats retained all day to receive double hire.

Note 3.—Boats going off with cargo after sunset to receive double hire.

Note 4.—Boats retained all night with cargo on board double hire.

Note 5.—Whenever boats are required to go from Back Bay to the Inner Harbour in the south-west monsoon, or from the Inner Harbour to Back Bay in the north-east monsoon, a hire of Rs. 12.50 shall be charged for the passage round.

Note 6.—No cargo will be discharged or put on board of vessels anchoring in Back Bay between October 31 and May 1 without special leave from the Assistant Collector of Customs.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

ROBERT CHALMERS.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, in pursuance of "The Necessaries of War Exportation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1914," do hereby prohibit the exportation from Ceylon of the article specified in the Schedule A hereto to the extent therein specified.

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

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

To all destinations: Hoop iron.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 179 of 1915.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has received a telegram from the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES intimating that HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased to appoint the Hon. Mr. A. WOOD RENTON to be a Knight Bachelor, and Mr. FREDERICK BOWES to be a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 3, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 180 of 1915.

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

Mr. T. B. RUSSELL to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala; Additional District Judge, Kegalla; and Visitor of the Prison at Kurunegala, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE to be Additional District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate, Kandy, with effect from May 31, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. J. DEVANE to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate for the Judicial Districts of Kandy, Nuwara Eliya, and Kurunegala, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODDE to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Kegalla, from June 1 to 4, 1915, inclusive.

Dr. HENRY LUDOVICI, Medical Officer, Matara, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Matara, *vice* Dr. S. L. ANTHONISZ, deceased.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 1, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 181 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be, in addition to their own duties, Additional Police Magistrates for all the Police Courts in the Kandy Judicial District, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders:—

Mr. M. STEVENSON.
Mr. G. S. WODEMAN.
Mr. C. W. BICKMORE.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 1, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 182 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps:—

To be Captain, *vice* Captain GALBRAITH, deceased—
Lieutenant FRANCIS JAMES TOTHILL.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 31, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 183 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Colombo Town Guard:—

To be Lieutenant.

Second Lieutenant PERCY GEORGE PARSONS.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 4, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 184 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Second Lieutenant, S. CLARE, R.G.A., to be Adjutant, Ceylon Artillery Volunteers, in succession to Major (now Lt.-Colonel) R. L. MUSPRATT WILLIAMS, R.G.A., with effect from June 1, 1915.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 4, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 185 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace:—

Mr. A. HAMILTON HARDING to be a Justice of the Peace for the Central Province.

Mr. W. P. SPURWAY to be a Justice of the Peace for the Nuwara Eliya District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 27, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 186 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Inquirers:—

(1) SAMARAKOON NAWARATNE ILANKOON WASALA MUDIYANSELAGE MUDIYANSE to be an Inquirer for Meddeketiya and Yatikaha South korales, North-Western Province.

(2) JAYABAHU MUDIYANSELAGE KIRIBANDAPPUHAMY to be an Inquirer for Kinyama, Yagampattu, and Karandapattu korales, North-Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 29, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 187 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. SAMUEL JEBARATNAM CHRISTIAN KADIRGAMAR, of 87, Dam street, Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 31, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 188 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. CLAUDE SYLVESTER ORR, of Kalutara, to be a Notary Public at Kalutara and throughout the judicial division of Kalutara, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 27, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 189 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DARLEY WICKRAMASINHA, of Malalagama, Ahangama, to be a Notary Public at Matale and throughout the judicial division of Matale, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 27, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 190 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ATAPATU DON CHARLES AMRITHAWEERA, of Mamppe, Kesbewa, to be a Notary Public throughout the Wellaboda pattu of Matara District, with residence and office at Babarenda, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 27, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 191 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. YAGABAMUNU SARPINU PERERA SIRIWARDANA SENEVIRATNA, of Madabawita, Danowita, to be a Notary Public throughout the Atakalan and Kolonna korales of Ratnapura District, with residence and office at Rakwana, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 27, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 192 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ARYAWARNACULAJAYASURIYA AARON PERERA SENARATNA, Notary Public of Hanwella, to be a Notary Public throughout Atulugam korale and Pata Bulatgama divisions of Kegalla District, with residence and office at Dehiowita, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, May 27, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 193 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 44 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. D. T. WICKREMESINGHE, Translator of the Police Courts of Panwila and Teldeniya, to sign summons issued from these courts during the absence of the Chief Clerk.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 1, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS.

No. 194 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be, in addition to their own duties, Additional District Judges, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders:—

Mr. E. B. SUETER.
Mr. W. L. MURPHY.
Mr. F. MARSHALL.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 4, 1915. Colonial Secretary.

No. 195 of 1915.

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

Mr. A. C. ALLNUTT to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. J. CONROY to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. E. B. SUETER to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. H. M-M. MOORE to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. C. V. BRAYNE to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. R. G. SAUNDERS to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. E. RODRIGO to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. F. MARSHALL to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. G. F. FORREST to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate, Kegalla, with effect from June 1, 1915, or until further orders.

Lieutenant J. F. H. NUGENT to be Additional Police Magistrate for the Judicial Districts of Kandy, Nuwara Eliya, Kurunegala, and Kegalla.

Lieutenant G. WATSON to be Additional Police Magistrate for the Judicial Districts of Kandy, Nuwara Eliya, Kurunegala, and Kegalla.

Messrs. ALOYSIUS FERNANDO, ARTHUR ABREW, L. M. WILKINS, and F. W. BRIDGE temporarily to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Kalutara, and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Kalutara.

Messrs. J. S. PATTERSON and A. N. HUTT temporarily to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Kurunegala, and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Kurunegala.

Mr. R. A. COOMBE temporarily to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Badulla, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Badulla.

Mr. C. B. NELSON temporarily to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Badulla, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Badulla.

Mr. L. BAYLY temporarily to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Kegalla, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Kegalla.

Messrs. W. E. GRENIER and W. H. HEPPONSTALL to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Kalutara and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Kalutara, with effect from June 3, 1915, until further orders.

Messrs. GERALD ABBOTT, J. A. M. BOND, C. EVANS, J. L. HAYDEN, and A. E. THOMSON to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Matale and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Matale, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Messrs. EDMUND SINGARD WALKER and EDWARD GREGORY GUNAWARDENA temporarily to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Kurunegala and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Kurunegala, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. G. M. CRABBE to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Ratnapura and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Ratnapura, with effect from June 2, 1915, until further orders.

Dr. W. ATKIN SMITH and Mr. C. A. HARTLEY to be Justices of the Peace for the Sabaragamuwa, Central, and Western Provinces and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial Districts of the said Provinces, with effect from June 4, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. FREDERICK WILLIAM MORRIS temporarily to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the North-Western, Central, Western, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces, with effect from June 3, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. CLEMENT WIJERATNA temporarily to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Kalutara and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Kalutara, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Messrs. J. A. WICKRAMARATNA, W. A. PERERA, A. I. SENEVIRATNA, G. E. GOONERATNE, and H. E. WICKREMARATNE to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Matara and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Matara, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Messrs. T. B. MADAWALA, J. G. TENNEKÖON, P. B. MADAHAPOLA, L. NUGAWELA, C. E. TENNEKÖON, and L. B. BOGAHALANDA to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Kurunegala and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Kurunegala, with effect from June 3, 1915, until further orders.

Messrs. H. G. GREIG, H. F. PEARSON, J. C. COOPER, J. C. C. MIDDLETON, C. W. BAKER, and C. H. VINCE to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Ratnapura

and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Ratnapura, with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. J. H. MARCEL to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, with effect from June 2, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. M. L. WILKINS temporarily to be Justice of the Peace for the District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton with effect from June 1, 1915, until further orders.

Mr. G. F. FORREST to be, in addition to his own duties, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, with effect from June 1, 1915, for the North-Western, Central, Southern, Western, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 4, 1915. Colonial Secretary

No. 196 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint temporarily the following gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Sabaragamuwa, Central, Western, and North-Western Provinces:—

Mr. WILLIAM KEVILL SMYTH HUGHES.
Mr. LOUIS FREDRICK LERWAY DAY.
Mr. WILLIAM ARTHUR ORLEBAR WELLS.
Mr. CECIL ALLEYN HALL-HALL.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 1, 1915. Colonial Secretary

No. 197 of 1915.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Messrs. S. HILLMAN, G. KENION, E. F. HOME, GORDON PYPPE, Jr., G. J. MURRAY, E. KEITH, LEE SIMPSON, A. S. LONG PRICE, CARR HAMOND, A. M. CARMICHAEL, MARTIN M. SMITH, G. JAMES, H. ROHDE, J. P. HORTIN, and H. S. CAMERON to be Justices of the Peace for the District of Kandy and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Kandy, with effect from June 3, 1915, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 4, 1915. Colonial Secretary

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. **LOOL BADDEWADUGE DON MANORATNA** to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, with effect from May 27, 1915, *vice* Mr. J. B. S. CHINNATAMBY, transferred. His office will be at Government Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

Dr. **PASUPULETI KRISTNASWAMI KUPPASWAMI NAIDU** to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, with effect from June 7, 1915, *vice* Dr. W. S. RATNAVALE, transferred. His office will be at Government Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

Mr. **CANAPATIPPILLAI AMPALAVANAR**, District Mutaliyar, Vavuniya South, provisionally to be Registrar of Marriages (General) of the Kilakkumulai division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province; with effect from June 10, 1915, *vice* Registrar, C. A. CANTAR, transferred. His office will be at Mutaliyar Valavu in Vavuniya town.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 1, 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 Mr. **SINNATTAMPY MUTTUTAMPY** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Tenmaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for five days from May 27, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, M. MUTTUKUMARASAMY, on other duty. His office will be at residing garden at Kaitady station, Government bungalow at Chavakachcheri.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed **SINNAPPAH THOMAS KANDIAH** to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalmunai town division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from May 23, 1915, *vice* Deputy Registrar,

Mr. C. A. MANN, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Kalmunai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **DON DIYONIS WIJEWARDANE** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hiniduma division, and of Marriages (General) of Hinidum pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for four days from May 24, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, C. E. D. W. KARUNARATNA, on leave. His office will be at Danewalagedarawatta at Hiniduma.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed M. G. **DON CORNELIS** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Parahera division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from May 24, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, M. G. **DON BASTIAN**, on leave. His office will be at Ketakelagawatta in Parahera.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed Dr. **PASUPULETI KRISTNASWAMI KUPPASWAMI NAIDU** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from May 8, 1915, *vice* Registrar, Dr. W. S. RATNAVALE, transferred. His office will be at Government Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed **SENADHIRAGE SALOHAMI** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota outside the town division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from May 16, 1915, *vice* Registrar, R. WEJESURIYA, dismissed. His office will be at Donhamigewatta in Koholankala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed Mr. **JAMES TILLAKARATNA** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for two days from May 26, 1915, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. J. R. **WEERASEKERA**, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Badulla.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 31, 1915.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

"THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCES, 1892 to 1909."

IT is hereby notified that the following regulations made by the Sanitary Board of Ratnapura District, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, under and in pursuance of section 9E (2) of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinances, 1892 to 1909," have been approved by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

The regulations dated March 10, 1913, August 21, 1913, and March 14, 1914, published in the *Government Gazettes* of March 14, 1913, August 29, 1913, and March 20, 1914, are hereby repealed.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 27, 1915.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

REGULATIONS.

Eating-houses and Tea or Coffee Boutiques.

1. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall always be kept clean.
2. The walls of all eating-houses and tea or coffee boutiques shall be plastered and limewashed, the rooms well ventilated and lighted, and the floors cemented.
3. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of an eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall be removed twice daily.
4. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique.
5. The sugar used in such places shall be kept in glass-stoppered wide-mouthed bottles.
6. All cakes, sweetmeats, and other provisions exposed for sale shall be kept in properly constructed glass cases free from flies. No food stuff shall be exposed to the contamination of flies. The glass cases used shall be kept scrupulously clean.
7. No waste tea, or coffee, or milk, and no remnants of food or cooking waste, shall be thrown on the ground, but the same shall be collected in a proper receptacle and removed daily.
8. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every such eating-house and tea or coffee boutique.

Bakeries.

9. Every bakery shall be well ventilated and well lighted, and the walls thereof shall be plastered and whitewashed at least four times a year, the floor cemented, and sufficient drainage provided. There shall be a ceiling provided for the room in which dough is kneaded.
10. No bakery shall be within thirty feet of any cesspit, latrine, or sewer, nor in a position where bad odours therefrom shall reach it.
11. No room used as a bakery shall be used as a dwelling-place or for any other purpose whatever.
12. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to a bakery shall be kept clean.
13. The flour, water, and other materials used in the manufacture of bread shall be good, wholesome, and unadulterated. The flour shall be kept in a zinc-lined case or blind on a raised shelf or platform at least three feet above the ground.
14. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a bakery shall be removed at least once a day, and the drains well flushed daily.
15. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a bakery. The person or persons engaged in kneading the dough or flour shall wear white aprons covering the chest and body and a white cloth or cap upon the head.
16. Every bakery and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open and subject to inspection and examination by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Ratnapura District, or by any person acting under his authority, or by any member of the Sanitary Board.
17. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every bakery.

Butchers' Stalls.

18. Every butcher's stall shall be well ventilated and well lighted, the walls thereof shall be plastered and whitewashed at least four times a year, and the floor cemented, and sufficient drainage provided.

19. Every room in which meat is kept shall be kept scrupulously clean, and the walls and the floor washed daily.

20. Every table used in a butcher's stall shall be zinc covered. Such tables and the chopping block and all implements shall be kept scrupulously clean. They shall be washed with water and scrubbed with a hard clean brush immediately after use. All hooks for hanging meat shall be washed and polished and kept free from rust.

21. Refuse and unsaleable material, offal, &c., if not immediately removed, shall be kept in a zinc-lined receptacle with perforated zinc cover, the perforation to be of such size as to prevent flies entering. This receptacle shall be emptied, washed, and cleaned daily.

22. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a butcher's stall shall be removed at least once a day and the drains well flushed.

23. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a butcher's stall.

24. Every butcher shall provide himself with a movable receptacle of metal for waste material.

25. Every butcher's stall and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open and subject to inspection and examination by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Ratnapura District, or by any person acting under his authority, or by any member of the Sanitary Board.

26. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every butcher's stall.

Fish Stalls.

27. Every permanent fish stall shall be well ventilated and lighted, and the walls thereof shall be plastered and whitewashed at least four times a year. The floor shall be of smooth cement having a proper fall leading to a masonry drain built in cement and cement rendered, which shall empty itself into a bucket. The walls, floor, drains, and buckets shall be washed with disinfectants at least twice a day, and the bucket shall not be allowed to overflow. The stall shall always be kept clean and free from stains of blood and dirt.

28. Instead of the drain referred to in the last preceding rule, a fishmonger may use a large zinc sheet so bent as to have a fall towards its centre, and so arranged that the washing from this sheet of zinc shall fall into the bucket.

29. Every table used in a fish stall shall be zinc covered. Such table and the chopping block shall be kept scrupulously clean. They shall be washed with water and scrubbed with a hard clean brush immediately after use. All hooks for hanging fish shall be washed and polished and kept free from rust.

30. Fish baskets shall be washed daily and kept exposed to sun and air on a shelf, and not be kept inside the fish shop.

31. Every fish stall holder shall provide himself with a movable covered receptacle of metal for waste material.

32. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a fish stall shall be removed at least once a day and the drains well flushed.

33. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a fish stall.

34. Every fish stall and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open and subject to the inspection and examination by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Ratnapura District, or by any person acting under his authority, or by any member of the Sanitary Board.

35. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every fish stall.

Keeping of Animals.

36. No horse, ass, mule, cattle, sheep, goat, or pig shall be housed in a dwelling-house, or in the verandah of a dwelling-house, or in any shed or maduwa which is part of or attached to a dwelling-house.

37. The owner of every animal shall keep the same in a properly constructed and drained stable or gala detached from a dwelling-house, and shall see to the daily removal and disposal of all dung and refuse so that no nuisance is caused thereby.

Cattle Galas.

38. The owner or tenant of every cattle stall, cattle halting place, or gala shall have the same covered with a tiled or ironed roof and paved with cement concrete, and provided with a suitable concrete drain for conveying the urine and washings into a covered receptacle constructed in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct, the contents of which shall be daily removed at the expense of such owner or tenant and disposed of so that no nuisance is caused thereby.

39. Every cattle stall, halting place, or gala shall be daily washed and always kept clean. It shall be whitewashed at least once in three months.

40. All dung and dry refuse shall be removed daily by the owner or tenant of such cattle stall, halting place, or gala and disposed of so that no nuisance is caused thereby.

General.

41. The Chairman, Sanitary Board, or any officer acting under his authority, may at all times order—

- (a) That all or any part of any house, dwelling, church, place of assembly, or other building be forthwith internally or externally limewashed or provided with sufficient ventilation or disinfected or otherwise cleaned.
- (b) That privies shall be constructed where it is desirable that they should exist.
- (c) That cesspits or offensive drains shall be filled up by the owners of the land on which they are situated and that others be opened.
- (d) That compounds and gardens shall be cleaned and kept free from undergrowth, and all rubbish in them shall be burned or carted away daily.
- (e) That fences for private premises shall be kept down to a maximum height of six feet, and that all overhanging branches and foliage shall be removed, and every owner and occupier of such premises so ordered shall forthwith comply with such directions.
- (f) That hollow places in compounds or close to dwelling-houses shall be filled up or drained so that water may not stagnate in them.

42. Any person who is desirous that ashes, sweepings, refuse, or other rubbish from his premises shall be removed by the scavengers of the Board, shall deposit the same in properly covered tubs, boxes, or other like receptacles, as the Board may prescribe, at the edge of the road outside his premises, between the hours of 7 A.M. and 10 A.M., and shall remove the said tubs, boxes, or other like receptacles within half an hour after emptying of such tubs, boxes, or other like receptacles by the scavenger. No person shall place any ashes, sweepings, refuse, or other rubbish on any street, except in such a manner as aforesaid, or on any public place other than public dust bins, where such are provided.

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, July 19, 1915, at 10.30 A.M., and following days, namely:—

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

If necessary, the examination in Tamil will be extended to Monday, July 26, 1915.

The examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, for officer in the Fourth Class of the Civil Service, will also be held on July 22, 1915, 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 *vivá 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 June 30, 1915.

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 *vivá voce* examinations, which will be specially arranged for.

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

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

It is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officers have passed the departmental examinations noted against their names held in April, 1915:—

Police Department.

Mr. G. MANWARING—Sinhalese, First Examination.
Mr. W. C. C. KING—Tamil, Second Examination.
Mr. G. BROMLEY—Law.
Mr. H. A. COLLETTE—Law.

Railway Department.

Mr. C. BROWN—Tamil.

Irrigation Department.

Mr. C. DE H. SMITH—Tamil.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1915.

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

IT is hereby notified that Mr. C. L. WICKREMESINGHE has passed the examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, held on April 20, 1915.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1915.

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

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned gentleman has passed the examination prescribed under the regulations dated November 7, 1913, held on April 19, 1915, and following days :—

First Examination.

	Law. Per Cent.	Accounts. Per Cent.	Sinhalese. Per Cent.
Mr. N. M. BHARUCHA ..	66	47	51

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1915.

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

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

IT is hereby notified under Ordinance No. 26 of 1909 that the under-mentioned has been registered and licensed as surveyor and leveller for the current year :—

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
May 22, 0915	332	A 189	De Silva, M. B.	Kotte

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, May 31, 1915.

A. J. WICKWAR,
for Surveyor-General.

Government Training College.

THE following student teachers have successfully completed their two years' course of training (1913-14) at the Government Training College.

Education Office,
Colombo, May 29, 1915.

E. EVANS,
for Director of Education.

SINHALESE MEN STUDENTS.

Final Examination, 1914.

No.	Name.	Average Position of the 2nd Year.
1.	Wickramasingha, G. D. P.	1
2.	Gunasekara, P. D. S.	2
3.	Amarasingha, J. R.	3
4.	Banda, A. K. M. T.	4
5.	Karunaratna, R. M. K.	5
6.	Abeyawickrama, D. A.	6
7.	Alwis, W. D.	7
8.	Dharmawardhana, D. H.	8
9.	Kiri Banda, R. M.	9
10.	Wijayasundara, L. B.	10
11.	Rajakaksa, D. A.	11
12.	Weerakoon, M. W. R.	12
13.	Samaranayaka, T. D. H.	13
14.	Disanayaka, D. J.	14
15.	Basnayaka, S. B.	15
16.	Dasanayaka, D. S.	16
17.	Dharmasena, G. D. R.	17
18.	Wijayatunga, R. B.	18
19.	Disanayaka, U. B.	19
20.	Amarasingha, C. P.	20

SINHALESE WOMEN STUDENTS.

Final Examination, 1914.

Jayasekara, D. B. W.	1
Pesona Perera, A.	2
Balasuriya, D. R. N.	3
Samaradiwakara	4

Name.

Name.	Average Position of the 2nd Year.
Soysa, D. S. de	5
Gunatilaka, W. D. P.	6
Dulawathee, Ekanayaka	7
Bisomenika, P. H.	8
Panagoda, J. D.	9
Edirisinha, D. L. E.	9
Seneviratna, P. G. D. E. B.	11
Wimalawathee, W. A.	12
Silva, F.	13
Ratnayaka, D. L.	14
Van de Bona, C.	15
Abeyagoonawardhana, D. J.	16
Manamperi, M.	17
Gunasekaramenika	18
Somawathee, Karunaratna	19
Ramyawathee, B. A.	20

MISSION STUDENTS (SINHALESE MEN).

Final Examination, 1914.

Order of Merit.	Name.	Certificate.	Mission.
1.	Fernando, P. S.	2nd Class	C. M. S.
2.	Silva, T. D. H.	do.	do.
3.	Appuhami, J. M.	do.	do.
4.	Disanayaka, K. B. W.	do.	do.
5.	Panditaratna, G. A.	do.	do.
6.	Gunawardhana, A. M.	do.	do.
7.	Arnolis, M. D.	3rd Class	Wesleyan

GOVERNMENT TRAINING COLLEGE, COLOMBO.

Teachers' Courses for 1916-17.

ENGLISH CLASSES (MEN AND WOMEN).

THE Annual Entrance Examination for admission to the courses of training for teachers in English schools will be held at the Training College on November 2, 3, and 4, 1915, commencing at 10.30 A.M. Candidates for admission must apply to the Principal of the College for an admission form during the month of September. These forms must be returned on or before October 16. Candidates will then be informed whether they have been selected to appear at the examination.

2. Selected students will be trained for teacherships in Grant-in-aid and Government schools. The following classes will be established in January, 1916 :—

- (a) A two-year course for secondary school teachers in (1) Arts, (2) Science, (3) Mathematics, (4) Manual Training and Drawing, in addition to the theory and practice of teaching.
- (b) A one-year course in the theory and practice of teaching for Graduates and those who have passed the Intermediate Examinations of the University of London in Arts or Science.
- (c) A two-year course for elementary school teachers.
- (d) A one-year course for infant school teachers. The certificate awarded to successful students at the end of this course is that referred to under clause 37 (c) of the Code for 1914.

3. The following studentships are offered for competition :—

- Twenty-five studentships of Rs. 300 per annum.
- Ten studentships of Rs. 480 per annum.

All students will also receive free passes by rail to and from their homes during vacations.

It must be understood that all students are appointed on probation for the first three months, and will not be allowed to continue their course unless their work shows a reasonable degree of promise.

Students in training must devote the whole of their time to College work. Board and residence will be provided on payment of the prescribed charge during the time the College is in session. Those for whom residence is not available must live within a convenient distance of the College, and must be able to satisfy the Principal that their place of residence affords proper facilities for study and conditions for the maintenance of general good health. Each selected candidate will be examined by the College Medical Officer, whose report must state that the candidate is physically fit to take up the work of a teacher.

The Entrance Examination will comprise—

I.—Compulsory Subjects :—

- (a) English Language and Literature (general paper).
- (b) English Composition.
- (c) Reading aloud from the work of a standard author.
- (d) Arithmetic.
- (e) History and Geography of the British Empire.

II.—Optional Subjects :—

- Algebra : to progressions.
- Geometry : the subject-matter of Euclid's Books I. to IV. (experimentally and theoretically).
- Languages : (a) Latin : Translation, Grammar, and Composition.
- (b) Sinhalese : Ummagga Jataka and Guttilla. Grammar. Composition.
- (c) Tamil : Panchatantra, Neethimanchari, Part I., and Ilakkanchchurukkam. Composition.

N.B.—Only one of (a), (b), or (c) can be taken.

A separate examination will be set for candidates for the infant school course—

- (1) English Composition.
- (2) Reading aloud.
- (3) Elementary Drawing.

SINHALESE CLASS (MEN).

The students in this Department will be trained for masterships in Government Sinhalese schools.

Twenty studentships will be open for competition to selected monitors in Government schools who have passed their Third-year Examination in 1914 or before that year.

Selected students will receive free board and lodging at the College during the session, and free passes on the railway will be issued for use during the vacations. The period of training will extend over two years, and at the end of this period those who pass the Final Examination will receive certificates of the second or third class in accordance with the record of their work in the College and their performance at the Final Examination.

Certificates of the first class will be issued only to trained teachers in the service of the Department who hold second class certificates after an uninterrupted service of ten years as head teacher in a school of the class corresponding to the certificate, provided that their conduct and efficiency be approved by the Director. For scale of payments see clause 8 of the Departmental Code.

The following will be the subjects for the Entrance Examination :—

- Sinhalese Literature : Ummagga Jataka and Guttilla. Grammar.
- Composition and Dictation.
- Arithmetic.
- Reading aloud from an unseen passage.
- History of Ceylon.
- Geography of Europe and Asia, Ceylon in detail.

N.B.—No further particulars will be given concerning the subjects of this examination.

The Entrance Examination will be held at the old Royal College, near Pettah Station (Colombo), on November 2 and 3, 1915, commencing at 10.30 A.M. In order to gain admission to this examination intending candidates must apply to the Principal of the Training College during the month of September for an admission form. These forms must be returned on or before October 16. Candidates will then be informed whether they have been selected to appear at the examination.

Education Office,
Colombo, May 31, 1915.

EDWIN EVANS,
for Director of Education.

Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Miscellaneous Deck Passengers *via* Tuticorin and Talaimannar (a) during the Month of April, 1915, and (b) for the First Four Months of 1915, together with Figures for the corresponding Month and Period of the previous Year.

Port.	April,	<i>April,</i>	April,	<i>April,</i>	Total for		<i>Total for</i>		Balance of Arrivals	
	1915.	1914.	1915.	1914.	Four Months, 1915.		Four Months, 1914.		1915.	1914.
	Arr.	Arr.	Dep.	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.		
Colombo ..	1,682 ..	2,730 ..	1,147 ..	2,641 ..	6,774 ..	4,939 ..	8,011 ..	21,324 ..	1,835 ..	13,313
Talaimannar	2,633 ..	559 ..	8,061 ..	6,431 ..	10,201 ..	32,342 ..	4,851 ..	14,706 ..	22,141 ..	9,855

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, May 19, 1915.

S. E. HANCOX,
for Chairman, Plague Committee.

Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Immigrant Coolies (a) during the Month of April, 1915, and (b) for the First Four Months of 1915, together with Figures for the corresponding Month and Period of the previous Year.

Port.	April,	<i>April,</i>	April,	<i>April,</i>	Total for		<i>Total for</i>		Balance of Arrivals	
	1915.	1914.	1915.	1914.	Four Months, 1915.		Four Months, 1914.		1915.	1914.
	Arr.	Arr.	Dep.	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.		
Colombo ..	299 ..	510 ..	47 ..	819 ..	995 ..	220 ..	7,755 ..	18,673 ..	775 ..	10,918
Talaimannar	5,491 ..	— ..	4,123 ..	— ..	13,356 ..	14,526 ..	8,995 ..	9,647 ..	1,170 ..	652

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, May 19, 1915.

S. E. HANCOX,
for Chairman, Plague Committee.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period 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 June 22, 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. Contracts may not be assigned, sublet, or otherwise transferred without the previous written sanction of the Principal Civil Medical Officer.

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 or the whole of it for one, two, or three years.

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

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

Colombo, May 31, 1915.

Schedule referred to.

Name of Institution.	Nature of Provisions. to be supplied.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Hambantota Hospital	.. Cooked diets with milk	.. 100	.. 200
Mihintale Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Point Pedro Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Talaimannar Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Kolonna Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Anuradhapura Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Balangoda Hospital	.. Cooked diets without milk	.. 400	.. 800

TENDERS are hereby invited for making and supplying the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract for this service from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916:—

For Workmanship only.

To be made up from materials supplied by the Railway Storekeeper (needles and thread will not be supplied).

All garments to be machine-stitched.

For Inspectors.

Suits, fine serge, braided, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	About	8
Suits, white drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	"	60

For Station Masters, Relief Clerks, &c.

Coats, fine serge, braided, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	About	200
Coats, white drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	"	480
Trousers, white drill, to measurement ..	"	1,000

For Guards, Gate Inspectors, and Car Attendants.

Coats, fine serge, braided, to measurement ..	About	150
Coats, coarse serge, to measurement ..	"	150
Suits, coarse serge, to measurement ..	"	300
Trousers, coarse serge, to measurement ..	"	50
Trousers, white drill, to measurement ..	"	1,500
Cuffs and collars ..	"	10 pairs

For Sergeants, Ticket Collectors, Ticket Examiners, &c.

Suits, coarse serge, to measurement ..	About	300
Suits, fine serge, to measurement ..	"	20
Gold stripes ..	"	15

For Porters, Policemen, Gatemen, &c.

Suits, coarse serge, 4 standard sizes ..	About	4,000
Coats, coarse serge, 4 standard sizes ..	"	100
Shoulder straps, red ..	"	1,200 pairs
Shoulder straps, green ..	"	1,100 "
Motor Chauffeurs' khaki uniforms, complete, to measurement, buttons not required ..	"	60
Motor Mail Service Conductors' khaki uniforms, buttons not required ..	"	20
Motor Chauffeurs' peaked caps with spare covers, all materials to be supplied by the contractor ..	"	10
Blue drill suits for carriage cleaners, &c. ..	"	50

For Messenger Boys.

Suits, coarse serge, ornamental, complete, including caps, to measurement, buttons not required ..	About	10
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For Peons.

Coats, coarse serge, to measurement ..	About	10
Coats, khaki drill, to measurement ..	"	10

Miscellaneous.

For stitching in red thread the words "Extra Porter No.,"* "Outside Porter No.,"* or "Goods Porter No.,"* &c., on coarse serge or drill coat. Tender to be per letter or figure.

For stitching in red thread the words "Ticket Examiner" or "Ticket Collector" on cap. Tender to be per letter or figure.

* Serial numbers from 1 onwards to appear here as may be ordered.

Note.—(1) The above figures show approximate requirements for the period.

(2) All men to be measured at their respective stations, free passes for the purpose being provided by the Department.

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 Railway Clothing" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 15, 1915.

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. The tender should specify the rate at which each different description of uniform or article would, as shown above, be made up of materials supplied from the Railway Store, exclusive of needles and thread, and the number of yards of cloth, &c., that will be required for each garment or article.

7. 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.

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

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

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

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

12. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

14. 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.

15. 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.

16. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 26, 1915.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting salt from the pans, Chiviyateru, to the General Stores, Karaiur, Jaffna, by bullock carts, all the salt to be collected at Chiviyateru during 1915.

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

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Transporting Salt, Chiviyateru," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the offices of the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Friday, June 18, 1915.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Jaffna Kachcheri,
May 21, 1915.

C. J. PRITCHETT,
for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for shipping and landing stores of the Public Works Department to and from steamers and sailing vessels in the Colombo Harbour for a period of one, two, or three years from October 1, 1915.

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

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Shipping and Landing Stores for the Public Works Department during 1915-1918" in the left hand top corner of the envelope,

and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on June 15.

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

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

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

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

8. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 250 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Director of Public Works that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

9. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

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

Public Works Office,

Colombo, May 27, 1915.

G. N. LOGGAN,

for Director of Public Works.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned article forming part of the estate in D. C. Curatorship case No. 128 will be sold by public auction at the District Court, Mullaitivu, on June 19, 1915, at 10 A.M. :—

10 black cattle	1 pair silver bangles, kada-sani
1 gold necklace containing gold beads	1 pair gold ear stud, puliady
1 pair gold vali	1 pair ear ornament, thad-dakuchu
1 pair silver bangles	1 brass pot
1 nose stud set with precious stone	1 pair gold ear stud, thod-duckuchu
1 brass vaddel	1 betel plate
2 billhooks	1 grinding stone
1 mamoty	1 grinder and stone
1 four-string gold addiyal	1 chempu
4 pairs gold earrings	1 wooden bed
1 pair ear ornaments, vaita-vali	1 standing lamp

District Court,
Mullaitivu, May 24, 1915.

E. T. HUGHES,
District Judge.

THERE will be a sale of unserviceable articles at the Government Technical Schools on Tuesday, the 15th instant, at 2 P.M.

Government Technical Schools,
June 1, 1915.

T. COCKERILL,
Chief Instructor.

A SALE of salvage materials (empty oil tins, drums, &c.) will be held by public auction at the Railway Stores, Maradana, on Wednesday, June 9, 1915, at 2.30 P.M.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 31, 1915.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

IT is hereby notified that the following confiscated articles will be sold by public auction on Friday, June 11, 1915, at 2 P.M., at this court :—

2 rolls of mercerized cotton	1 table cloth
2 sunshades	23 banians
3 bottles of hairwash	Bone elephants
1 pint bottle of brandy	Picture cards
16 lb. of white wax	20 banians

Joint Police Court,
Colombo, May 31, 1915.

C. E. STAINER,
Lieut.-Commander, R.N.,
Joint Police Magistrate.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned article, the effect of patient who died in the Civil Hospital, Mullaitivu, will be sold by public auction at the District Court, Mullaitivu, on June 19, 1915, at 10 A.M. :—

1 pair gold ear studs

District Court,
Mullaitivu, May 24, 1915.

E. T. HUGHES,
District Judge.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended May 29, 1915.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 76 (1 European, 14 Burghers, 39 Sinhalese, 12 Tamils, 8 Moors, 1 Malay, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1915, viz., 247,397) was 16·0, as against 20·0 in the preceding week, 22·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 22·2 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 121 (7 Burghers, 62 Sinhalese, 23 Tamils, 23 Moors, 1 Malay, and 5 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 25·5, as against 21·9 in the previous week, 23·3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 26·7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 121 total deaths, 29 were of infants under one year of age, as in the preceding week, against 23 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 27 the average for last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 4.

Principal Causes of Death.—Twelve deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, as against 15 in the previous week and 14 the weekly average for last year; of these, 4 were in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital), 2 in San Sebastian, 2 in New Bazaar, 2 in Kollupitiya, 1 in St. Paul's, and 1 in Slave Island.

2. Nine deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, as against 8 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year; of these, 3 were in Kotahena, 2 in New Bazaar, 2 in Maradana, 1 in Pettah, and 1 in St. Paul's; 3 deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered.

3. Three deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, as against 1 in the previous week; of these, 1 was in St. Paul's, 1 in Kotahena, and 1 in Maradana.

4. One death of a non-resident in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellawatta, was registered from *Smallpox*, as against 2 in the previous week. One case was reported as in the previous week.

5. One death from *Plague* was registered (in St. Paul's) as in the previous week. 1 case was reported. There were none in the previous week.

6. Two deaths from *Measles* of passengers per ss. Euripides were registered in Fort and Galle Face. No cases of *Measles* were reported; 2 cases of *Chickenpox* were reported. There was 1 in the previous week.

7. Twelve deaths from *Infantile Convulsions* were registered, 9 from *Debility*, 7 from *Enteritis*, 5 from *Dysentery*, 2 from *Diarrhoea*, 2 from *Worms*, 1 from *Tetanus*, and 52 from *Other Causes*.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 83·3°, against 84·2° in the preceding week and 82·2° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·848 in., against 29·847 in. in the preceding week and 29·839 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2·79 in., against 0·05 in. in the preceding week and 6·97 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 1, 1915.

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