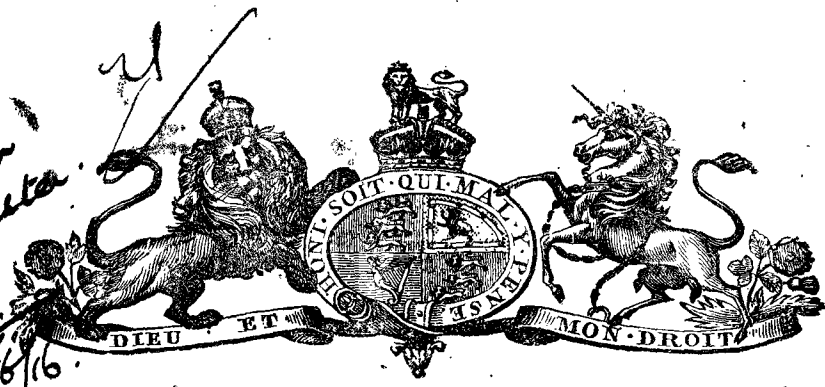


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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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 JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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.

JOHN ANDERSON.

WHEREAS the following by-law made by the Municipal Council of Kandy, under provisions of section 109 (1) of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," has been confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, as provided by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance:

Now know that We, the said Governor of the Island of Ceylon, in exercise of the power in Us vested by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the said by-law.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Seventeenth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Sixteen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

Chapter XV. b.

Preaching or holding meetings in streets prohibited.

268 GG. No person shall preach or address any assembly or crowd or hold any meeting in any street within the Municipal limits of Kandy, except in pursuance of a permit from the Superintendent of Police or the Chairman of the Municipal Council, and within the times and limits specified in such permit. Any person who shall commit a breach of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees.

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 JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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.

JOHN ANDERSON.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated February 28, 1900, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, divided the Kandyan Provinces enumerated in Schedule B to the Ordinance No. 3 of 1870 into the districts set forth in the schedule thereto :

And whereas it is expedient to alter and amend the said division :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 5 of the said Ordinance, do, by this Our Proclamation, alter and amend, with effect from July 1, 1916, the district specified in the first column of the annexed schedule in the manner specified in the second column thereof.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Sixteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

North-Central Province, Anuradhapura District.

Division as defined in the Proclamation dated February 28, 1900.	Divisions as defined by this Proclamation.
<p>1.—<i>Nuwaragam Palata Division.</i></p> <p>Boundaries:—</p> <p>North by Vavuniya District ; East by Hurulu palata and Kalagam palata ; South by Kala-oya ; and West by Puttalam and Mannar Districts.</p>	<p>1.—<i>Nuwaragam Palata Division.</i></p> <p>Boundaries :—</p> <p>North starting from the point on the Kal-aru where it crosses the present western boundary of Wilachchiya korale the boundary shall run along the Kal-aru till it meets Koka-punchi Motte-aru, and thence be a straight line drawn approximately north-east by east to the junction of the Malwatu-oya and Kal-aru ; East by Hurulu palata and Kalagam palata ; South by Kala-oya ; and West by Puttalam and Mannar Districts.</p>

Northern Province, Mannar District.

<p>1.—<i>Namaddan East Division.</i></p> <p>Boundaries :—</p> <p>North by Aruvi-aru ; East by Uppanalavakkai, Uppan, and Umajtaivempu ; South by Oddankulam, Neeravimadu, and Vedikkarankulam ; and West by Tekkam, Kalumaram, El-laiappalai, Akattikkulam, and Mavil.</p>
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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 JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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.

JOHN ANDERSON.

WHEREAS by Proclamation bearing date June 26, 1909, issued under the provisions of section 4 of the Ordinance No. 11 of 1891, intituled " An Ordinance to re-adjust the Customs Duties leviable on Firearms and to impose an Export Duty on certain Hides and Horns," the exportation of hides and cut horns of the spotted deer and sambar for commercial or trade purposes was prohibited for a period of seven years, as from and after September 1, 1909, till August 31, 1916 (both days inclusive) :

And whereas it is expedient to continue the prohibition for a further period :

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 4 of the above-named Ordinance, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, prohibit the exportation for commercial or trade purposes of hides and cut horns of the spotted deer and sambur for a further period extending to June 30, 1917, provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the rights of the Crown.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Seventeenth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Sixteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 195 of 1916.

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

Mr. F. N. DANIELS to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kurunegalla, for June 23 and 24, 1916, during the absence of Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE from the station.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, and Visitor of the Prison at Kegalla from June 20 to 30, 1916, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. A. P. BOONE from the station.

Mr. A. CATHIRAVELU to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the District of Jaffna.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 20, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 196 of 1916.

IT is notified for information that Second Lieutenant HAMILTON PAYN HARRISON's resignation of his Commission in the Ceylon Light Infantry has been accepted by **HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** in consequence of his having been granted a Commission in the Regular Army.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 16, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 197 of 1916.

IT is notified for information that Lieutenant THOMAS ARTHUR HODSON's resignation of his Commission in the Nuwara Eliya Town Guard has been accepted by **HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR**.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 17, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 198 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Nuwara Eliya Town Guard:—

To be Lieutenant.

Mr. THOMAS WILLIAM EDGE PARTINGTON.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 17, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 199 of 1916.

IT is hereby notified for information that Lieutenant RUPERT VINCENT DIAS' resignation of his Commission in the Ceylon Volunteer Medical Corps has been accepted by **HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR**.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 22, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 200 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. H. FREI provisionally as Acting Consul for the Netherlands at Colombo from July 1, 1916, during the absence of Mr. O. J. STEIGER from the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 22, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 201 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to re-appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Unofficial Members of the Colombo Port Commission for a period of three years from July 1, 1916:—

J. A. RIDGE, Esq.

R. S. PHILPOTT, Esq.

J. LOCHORE, Esq.

C. NAMASIVAYAM, Esq., J.P.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 21, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 202 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 23 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint Mr. H. FENNING to be an Additional Member of the District Road Committee, Kegalla, for the years 1916, 1917, and 1918.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 21, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 203 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. H. FENNING to be an Inquirer for the division of Udapalata, in the Kandy District, in the place of Mr. M. B. BLOUNT, who has left the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 21, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 204 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. PETER DE SILVA WIJETUNGE, of Hulftsdorp, 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, June 14, 1916. Colonial Secretary.

No. 205 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ARTHUR HENRY ABEYARATNA, of Croydon, Maradana, 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, June 14, 1916. Colonial Secretary.

No. 206 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. EDMUND HENRY WIJENAIKE, of Kandy, to be a Notary Public at Kandy and throughout the judicial division of Kandy, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 14, 1916. Colonial Secretary

No. 207 of 1916.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. MODERAGE BASTIAN WAAS JAYASEKERA, at present practising as a Notary Public at Nainamadama, to be a Notary Public throughout Meda and Otara palatas of Pitigal korale, in Chilaw District, with residence and office at Lunuwila, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 17, 1916. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

ARUNASALAM SAPAPATY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karaitivu division, and of Marriages (General) of The Islands division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for two months, with effect from July 15, 1916, *vice* Registrar, K. CHELLIAH, on leave. His office will be at Taddakuddipulam in Karaitivu East; station: Kilavankadu in Karaitivu West.

CHINNAPPILLAI CHETTRAPPILLAI to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koralai Pattu South division, and of Marriages (General) of Koralai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from June 13, 1916, *vice* Registrar, S. SATHASIVAM, deceased. His office will be at his residing garden at Kiran, with stations at Santiveli and Murakkoddanchenai.

RAJAPAKSA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalagam Korale North division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kalagam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for three months, with effect from June 25, 1916, *vice* Registrar, S. B. MOLAGODA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Kalawewa.

DISSANAYAKE RANASINGHE ATAPATTU MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDARA to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from June 13, 1916, up to July 14, 1916, inclusive, *vice* Registrar, B. LOKU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Pahalawalauwewatta in Panawala.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, June 19, 1916. 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, Eastern Province, has appointed CHINNATAMPIPPUDI MANIKKAPPUDI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manmunai South division, and of Marriages (General) of Manmunai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from June 20, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, K. KANTAPPUDI, on leave. His office will be at Mavadiyalavu in Ampilanturai, with stations at Panich-chaiyadimunnari and Kokkoddichcholai.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed JAMES TILLEKERATNE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for six days from June 12, 1916, during the

absence of the Registrar, J. R. WEERASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at the Badulla Kachcheri.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed BETHMAGE DON LOUIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mampe division, and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fourteen days from May 29, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, PAULIS DE COSTA, on sick leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Tumbowila.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed BETHGOMUMUDALIGE JAMES PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambatalenpahala West division, and of Marriages (General) of Ambatalenpahala division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from June 1, 1916, *vice* MAGALAGE PAUL PERERA, deceased. His office will be at Kiripellagahawatta in Egoda Kolonnawa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed BETHMAGE DON LOUIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mampe division, and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fourteen days from June 12, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, PAULIS DE COSTA, on sick leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Tumbowila.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON MARTIN GAMMANPILA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bandaragama division, and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for sixteen days from June 12, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, DON GEORGE JAYASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Galpottewatta in Bolabotuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed Dr. JOHN MYLVAGANAM SOMASUNDRUM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nawalapitiya town division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for seven days from June 1, 1916, during the absence of the Medical Registrar, Dr. H. M. PIERIS, on leave. His office will be at Government Civil Hospital, Nawalapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed Mr. D. C. DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for one day, June 2, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. W. D. DE ZOYSA, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Kandy.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed WEEBEDDE WEERAKON MUDIYANSELE PALAMAKUMBURE WIRAKON BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Pata Dumbara No. 1 Division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for one day, June 2, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, W. W. M.

KIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Maragastenne-watta in Hurikaduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed **Mr. D. C. DE SILVA** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for two days from June 6, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **Mr. W. D. DE ZOYSA**, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Kandy.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed **EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Pata Dumbara No. 6 Division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for two days from June 6, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **R. B. EKANAYAKA**, on leave. His office will be at Meegastenne-watta in Arattana, and station at Medapanguwekumbura in Naranpanawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed **BANDARANAYAKA GAMAWALAWWE MUTU BANDA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Uda Dumbara No. 3 Division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twenty-two days from June 7, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **L. B. ABAYASEKARA**, on leave. His office will be at Tawalanpola in Guruluptota, and station at Pihille-elewattegedara in Udattawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed **MALAWIGE HENDRICK SILVA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dimbula division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale, excluding the portion included in the Gravets division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for fifteen days from June 12, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **M. A. SILVA JAYASURIYA**, on leave. His office will be at house No. 1, Holbrook, Agrapatana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed **MUTU BANDA CHANDERASEKARA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matale Udasiya pattuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for six days from June 12, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **Mr. P. B. TALGAHAGODA**, on leave. His office will be at Bannekamudiyanselawatta in Warapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed **RAJAGURU RAJAKARUNA ANANDAPAKSA PANDITA MAHASALA NISI MUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE MARTIN WILLIAM PALIPANA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kohonsiya pattuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for one day, June 15, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **M. B. A. NIYAREPOLA**, on leave. His office will be at Nikawellawalawwewatta in Udupihilla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **DEMUNI CORNELIS DE ZOYSA ABEYSIRIWARDANE** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Welitara division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallowiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from June 12, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **B. DE ZOYSA ABEYSIRIWARDANE**, on leave. His office will be at Kondainnepelaketiya in Welitara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed **DON HENDRICK WICKREMESINHA GAMAPATRANA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Aturaliya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from June 17, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **V. P. S. P. DE SILVA**, on sick leave. His office will be at Yahalewatta in Karagoda Uyangoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed **NANAYAKKARA HADDAGODAGE DON ARNOLIS GUNARATNA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kirinda division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for six days from June 19, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **G. A. WEERASINGHA**, on leave. His offices will be at Nagahawatta in Yatiyana and Hallambagedarawatta at Kirinda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed **WILLIAM ABAYASIRI SAMARANAYAKA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walasmulla Pahalawalakada division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty-six days from June 18, 1916, during

the absence of the Registrar, **D. D. ABEWICKRAMA**, on leave. His office will be at Egodawatta in Okewela.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed **ABEYWICKREMA WIJESUNDERA MOHOTTIAPPUHAM** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kanuketiya Pahalawalakada division, and of Marriages (General) of East Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for ten days from June 20, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **D. D. A. WIJESUNDARA**, on leave. His office will be at Dehigahawatta in Lunama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed **RAMANATHAR SWAMINATHAR** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Valigamam North division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for five days from June 17, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **R. R. B. KUMARAKULASINGHE**, on leave. His office will be at Muddivalai in Tellippalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed **MATTESU AROKKIAM KUNA**, of Vankalai, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nanaddan West division, and of Marriages (General) of Nanaddan division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for eight days from June 26, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **M. T. PARUNANTHU**, on leave. His offices will be at Thommakunhawalavu in Vankalai and at Udaiyarvalavu in Nanaddan.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed **KADIRATA GAMARALAGE KAPPURALA**, of Mamaduwa, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kilakkumulai South (Sinhalese) division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for six days from June 14, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **T. M. T. WANNIHAMY**, on leave. His office will be at the Rate-mahatmaya's residence at Mamaduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed **EDMUND WALTER DAVID SOMANADER** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Trincomalee town division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for twenty days from June 5, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **V. R. ARULAMPALAM**, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Trincomalee, and Karuvalvalavu in Division No. 2, Trincomalee.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed **JAYASINGHARATCHIGE DON GREGORY SAMARANAYAKE** to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chilaw town division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from May 22, 1916, *vice* Deputy Registrar, **W. B. FERNANDO**, transferred. His office will be at the Chilaw Hospital.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed **DASMUDIYANSELAGE MENIKRALA**, Vidane, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Karambe pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for six days from June 19, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, **D. TIKIRI BANDA**, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence in Alankulama.

Registrar-General's Office, W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Colombo, June 20, 1916. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that **GEORGE ABESUNDARA WIRASINHA**, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kirinda division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, will, with effect from June 5, 1916, hold his office at Nagahawatta in Yatiyana, instead of at Heendolehena in Yatiyana, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,699 of February 19, 1915.

Registrar-General's Office, W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Colombo, June 16, 1916. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that the office of **BAMUNUSINGHE ARACHCHILLAGE MOHOTTHAMY BAMUNUSINGHE**, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panawal Korale West division, and of Marriages (Kandy and General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, is situated on the land called Nekatigewatta in Eheliyagoda and not at Baduwatta, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,792 of May 5, 1916.

Registrar-General's Office, W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Colombo, June 20, 1916. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

“THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ORDINANCE, 1910.”

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has been pleased, in pursuance of the powers vested in him by section 32 (1) of the above-mentioned Ordinance, to make the following proviso to be added to rule 8 of the rules contained in Schedule I. of the said Ordinance :—

“ Provided that the Governor may at any time direct the addition to the register so certified of any name which owing to mistake or inadvertence has not been included therein.”

And the same is hereby published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 17, 1916.

“THE MARRIAGE REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1907.”

WHEREAS by Notification dated July 1, 1899, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, divided the several Provinces of the Island for the purposes of the registration of marriages into the divisions specified in the schedules to the said Notification :

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

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 of “The Marriage Registration Ordinance, 1907,” and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to amend and alter, with effect from July 1, 1916, the divisions specified in the first column of the annexed schedule in the manner specified in the second column thereof.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 8, 1916

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

North-Central Province, Anuradhapura District.

Divisions as defined in Notification dated July 1, 1899.

1.—Nuwaragam Palata Division.

Boundaries :—

North by Vavuniya District ;
East by Hurulu palata and Kalagam palata ;
South by Kala-oya ; and
West by Puttalam and Mannar Districts.

Divisions as defined by this Notification.

6.—Nuwaragam Palata Division.

Boundaries :—

North starting from the point on the Kal-aru where it crosses the present western boundary of Wilachchiya korale, the boundary shall run along the Kal-aru till it meets Kokapunchi Motte-aru, and thence be a straight line drawn approximately north-east by east to the junction of the Malwatu-oya and Kal-aru ;
East by Hurulu palata and Kalagam palata ;
South by Kala-oya ; and
West by Puttalam and Mannar Districts.

Northern Province, Mannar District.

3.—Nanaddan Division.

Boundaries :—

North by Kuruvil, Parappankandal, Manatkulam, Putukkamam, Tuvarankeni, and Talladi ;
East by Vaddukkayveli, Veppal, Kanchiyar, Mavil, Uvayadikkulam, Paraiyanalankulam, and Silayinamarutamadu ;
South by Modragamar ; and
West by sea.

3.—Nanaddan Division.

Boundaries :—

North by Aruvi-aru, Tekkam, Karampaivil, Ettaravil, Vannakulam, Kuruvil, Vidattalvempu, Uttavayankulam, Manalkulam, Putukkamam, Tuvarankeni, and Talladi ;
East by Vaddukkaiveli, Veppal, Kanchiaru, Mavil, Sittaru, Umattalvempu, Uppan, Uppanalavakkai, Tekkam, Paraiyanalankulam, and Karampaivil ;
South by Moderagam-aru, Vedikkarakulam, Neeravimadu, and Oddankulam ; and
West by sea.

“THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1895.”

WHEREAS by Notification dated July 1, 1899, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, divided the several Provinces of the Island for the purposes of the registration of births and deaths into the divisions specified in the schedule to the said Notification :

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 of “The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895,” as amended by “The Births and Deaths Registration

(Amendment) Ordinance, 1900," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to amend and alter, with effect from July 1, 1916, the divisions specified in the first column of the annexed schedule in the manner specified in the second column thereof.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 8, 1916.

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

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

North-Central Province, Anuradhapura District.

Divisions as defined in Notification dated July 1, 1899.

5.—*Wilachchiya Korale North Division.*

Boundaries :—

North by Kalumaram ;
East by Thekkama and Malwatu-oya ;
South by Puliyankulama-ela ; and
West by Mawila and the Province boundary.

Divisions as defined by this Notification.

5.—*Wilachchiya Korale North Division.*

Boundaries :—

North starting from the point on the Kal-aru where it crosses the present western boundary of Wilachchiya korale the boundary shall run along the Kal-aru till it meets Kokapunchi Motte-aru, and thence be a straight line drawn approximately north-east by east to the junction of the Malwatu-oya and Kal-aru ;

East by Malwatu-oya ;
South by Puliyankulama-ela ; and
West by Province boundary.

Northern Province, Mannar District.

9.—*Musali North Division.*

Boundaries :—

North by Musaliyaru ;
East by Matiramadu, Pichchaivanipanedunkulam, Mavil, and boundary of the North-Central Province ;
South by Musali, Putuveli, Tampaddumutalikaddu, Ilakkarikkulam, Tandikkulam, and Kolinchivil ; and
West by sea.

11.—*Nanaddan East Division.*

Boundaries :—

North by Ettaravil, Vannakulam, Kuruvil, and Vidattalvempu ;
East by Akattikkulam, Ellaippalai, Kalumaram, Tekkam, Paraiyanalankulam, and Karampaivil ;
South by Mavilakkulam and Mavil ; and
West by Kodaikkulam-Mavilankeni, Puttirakandan, Chiruchchampankuddaikkadu, Pallankoddai, Purandiveli, Vannakulam, and Veppankulam.

9.—*Musali North Division.*

Boundaries :—

North by Aruvi-aru ;
East by Sonakanedunkulam and Mavilsittaru ;
South by Musali, Putuveli, Kulanakulam, Tandikkulam, and Kolinchivil ; and
West by sea.

11a.—*Nanaddan East Division No. 1.*

Boundaries :—

North by Ettaravil, Vannakulam, Kuruvil, and Vidattalvempu ;
East by Akattikkulam, Ellaippalai, Kalumaram, Tekkam, Paraiyanalankulam, and Karampaivil ;
South by Mavilakkulam and Mavil ; and
West by Kodaikkulam-Mavilankeni, Puttirakandan, Chiruchchampankuddaikkadu, Pallankoddai, Purandiveli, Marutamadu, Pallalankulam, and Pichchaivanivanedunkulam.

11b.—*Nanaddan East Division No. 2.*

Boundaries :—

North by Aruvi-aru ;
East by Uppanalavakkai, Uppan, and Umattavempu ;
South by Oddankulam, Neeravimadu, and Vedikkarakulam ; and
West by Tekkam, Kalumaram, Ellaippalai, Akattikkulam, and Mavil.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 39 of the Land Sale Regulations, that an application has been received from the Eastern Produce and Estates Company, Limited, for the sale to them, without competition, of the reclaimed land adjoining the premises of the Eastern Produce and Estates Company, Limited, being an allotment of land situated in St. Sebastian, within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province, described as lot 1 in preliminary plan 16,092, containing in extent 1 rood and 29·18 (twenty-nine eighteen hundredths) perches, and bounded as follows :—

North by the premises of Eastern Produce and Estates Company, Limited.

East by Crown land.

South by canal.

West by land belonging to the Eastern Produce and Estates Company, Limited.

It is proposed to sell it to the Eastern Produce and Estates Company, Limited, at Rs. 30,000 per acre, the full market value, unless within six weeks from the date hereof valid reasons to the contrary are adduced in writing.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 20, 1916.

"THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Minuwangoda has, in terms of section 30 of the Local Boards Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898, and with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, imposed and levied for the year 1916 a rate of 5 per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description and all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the said Local Board of Minuwangoda, subject to the provision of the aforesaid section.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 19, 1916.

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

"THE QUARANTINE AND PREVENTION OF DISEASES ORDINANCE, 1897."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 4 of "The Quarantine and Prevention of Diseases Ordinance, 1897," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to revoke regulation 49 of Part I. of the regulations published by Notification dated July 25, 1914, and to substitute therefor regulation 49 set out in the schedule annexed hereto.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 17, 1916.

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

SCHEDULE.

Evacuation
of buildings
unfit for
human
habitation.

49. If it shall appear to the proper authority that, in view of the prevalence or of the possibility of the introduction and spread of disease within his jurisdiction, any building within his jurisdiction used or intended to be used as a dwelling is unfit for human habitation, he may by a written order prohibit the use of such building as a dwelling, and may also summarily cause the same to be vacated. After such prohibition no owner or occupier of such building shall use or suffer the same to be used for human habitation until the proper authority gives written permission for such habitation.

No
compensation.

The owner or the occupier or the tenants or actual inmates or occupants of any building or place dealt with under this regulation shall not be entitled to claim any compensation on account of anything done thereunder.

"THE RIOT DAMAGES ORDINANCE, NO. 23 OF 1915."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, by virtue of the powers vested in him by "The Riot Damages Ordinance, No. 23 of 1915," has been pleased—

To declare the division of Pata Dumbara, in the Central Province, to be a riot area under the said Ordinance, with effect from June 7, 1915.

To direct the recovery from the persons resident and owning property in the said area (other than Europeans, Eurasians, Burghers, Tamils, Moors, Malays, and natives of India, who are hereby exempted from liability) of the amount of riot damage caused in the said area on or after May 28, 1915, together with the costs of suppressing within the said area the riots or disturbances by which such damage was occasioned.

To direct that credit be given in respect of so much of the amount of such damage and costs as has already been paid by voluntary contributions.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 21, 1916.

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

"THE RIOT DAMAGES ORDINANCE, NO. 23 OF 1915."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, by virtue of the powers vested in him by "The Riot Damages Ordinance, No. 23 of 1915," has been pleased—

To declare the division of Uda Dumbara, in the Central Province, to be a riot area under the said Ordinance, with effect from June 7, 1915.

To direct the recovery from the persons resident and owning property in the said area (other than Europeans, Eurasians, Burghers, Tamils, Moors, Malays, and natives of India, who are hereby exempted from liability) of the amount of riot damage caused in the said area on or after May 28, 1915, together with the costs of suppressing within the said area the riots or disturbances by which such damage was occasioned.

To direct that credit be given in respect of so much of the amount of such damage and costs as has already been paid by voluntary contributions.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 21, 1916.

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

IT is hereby notified with reference to Our Proclamation dated the 25th day of February, 1916, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,779 of even date, and Our Notification dated the 3rd May, 1916, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,792 of the 5th May, 1916, dealing with imports into the United Kingdom, that—

(a) A general license has been issued to the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise permitting the importation of all tobacco which is the produce or manufacture of His Majesty's oversea dominions; and

(b) Goods sent to the United Kingdom for transshipment abroad are not for the present regarded as being covered by the Proclamations relating to prohibition of importation, and accordingly no certificate of origin will be necessary for such transhipped goods.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 20, 1916.

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

WITH reference to the Notification dated April 11, 1916, published in the *Gazette* of the 14th idem, the following further additions to the statutory list of firms with whom trading is prohibited are hereby notified for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 20, 1916.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

Additions to List.

ARGENTINA.

Florenço Martínez de Hoz & Company,
Calle Reconquista, 43, Buenos Aires.
Martínez de Hoz Bros., Calle Belgrano,
554, Buenos Aires.
Schelp & Schelp, Calle Bartolome Mitre,
1123, Buenos Aires.

BRAZIL.

Albuquerque, Antonio de.
Louro Linhares, Florianopolis.
Viuva Carlos Brando & Company,
Florianopolis.

CHILE.

Daube & Company, Prate, 8, Valparaíso; Santiago; Concepcion and Antofagasta.
Föesch & Company, Casilla, 16a, Valparaíso.
Gildemeister & Company, Valparaíso; Lynch, 98, Iquique; Washington, 478, Antofagasta; S. José; Pena Chica; San Pedro.
Hardt, E. W. & Company, Valparaíso.
Kurtze, Walter, Punta Arenas.
Luck Winkelhagen & Company, Valparaíso.
Manns, Ernest, Punta Arenas.
Reitze, Leopold & Company, Valparaíso.
Schultz, Ricardo, & Company, Coquimbo, Concepcion and Valparaíso.
Sloman & Company, Valparaíso.
Stubenrauch, R., Punta Arenas.
Trede, H., Punta Arenas.
Vorwerk & Company, Prate, 231-239, Valparaíso.
Weber & Company, Valparaíso.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Engelen, Filemon & Company, Batavia.
Jongeneel, Medan.
Oving, H. E. Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

Allgemeine Electricitäts Gesellschaft, Christiania.
Andersen, Brødrene, Sarpsborg.
Bergens Bliktrykkeri A/S., Post-box 134; and Damsgaard, Bergen.

Brun, Joseph Jervel, Grand Hotel, Christiania.
Christiania Textilfabrik, Chr. Krohgsgt., 3, Christiania.
Fiskegarnsfabrik, Christian IV.'s gade, 89 and 91, Kristianssand.
Haak, L., & Company, Elveg, 5, Christiania.
Jacobsen & Braastad, Toldbodgt, 35, Christiania.
Johannesen, Albert, Chr. Krohgsgt., 3, Christiania.
Larsen, Oscar, Aalesund.
Londoner Bazar, Strandgt., 29, Bergen; Torvg., 176, Christiania.
Mortensen, Th., Prinsensgt., 2b, Christiania.
Nilsen, Helen, Olaf Kyrresgd., S., Bergen.
Olsen, Wilhelm A/S., Strandgt., 95, Bergen.
Pein & Hartmann, Kirkegt., 17, Christiania.
Rubenstein, O., Sfrandgt., 29, Bergen; Torvg., 176, Christiania.
Schlytter A/S., Skippergt., 19, Christiania.
Stavanger Sardine Company A/S., Stavanger.
United Sardine Factories, Bergen; Jelseg 45, and Lervik Stavanger.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Dy Buncio & Company.
Menzi, J.

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Ferreira, C. A., Chinde.
Serrinha, J. A., Limitada, Chinde.

SPAIN.

Boetticher & Navarro, Zurbano, 58, Madrid.
Cia Sevillana de Electricidad, San Pablo, 30, Avenida San Sebastian, Seville.
Coppel, Carlos, Fuencarral, 27, Madrid.
Escuder, Jose, Valencia.
Frade, Francisco, Madrid.
Gans, Richard, Princesa, 63, Madrid.

Hielscher, Adolph, Calle Zorrilla, 31, Madrid.
Koppel, Arturo, Carrera San Jeronimo, Madrid.
Loeck, Walter, Bilbao.
Maximo, Otto, Carrera San Jeronimo, Madrid.
Meyer, Carlos, Cadiz.
Muller, William, Seville.
Murillo, Marcelino, Bilbao.
Palacios, Luis Asin, Calle de Preciados, Madrid.
Pares, Barcelona.
Reder, Gustav, Zorrilla, 23, Madrid.
Rook, Jorge, Hurtado de Amézaga, 12, Bilbao.
Traumann, Enrique, Madrid.
Uthhoff, Ludolfo, San Pedro, 16, Cadiz.
Wackonnigg, Wilhelm, Bilbao.

SWEDEN.

Clase, Gustav, S. Hamng., 15, Gothenburg.
Forsblad & Son, Norra Hamngatan 6, Gothenburg.
Larsson, Adolph, Orebro.

Removals from List.

ECUADOR.

Azua, Ramon V.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

"Java Bode," Batavia.

PERSIA.

Haji Abdur Rahim Shirazi, Bombay and Shiraz.
Ittahadie Fils, Tehran.
Rahim Ittahadie (Ittahadie Fils), Tehran.
Zilka, Abraham Joseph, Kermanshah.

PORTUGAL.

Caldeira, Ignacio, & Company, Funchal, Madeira.

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Bhatt, Vithaljee, Lourenço Marques.
Molu, Palma, Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Saccoor, Amad, Lourenço Marques.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

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

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
June 16, 1916	340	A 247	Perera, S. T.	Care of Mr. R. Mithiribaladasa, 123, Dematagoda road, Colombo

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, June 19, 1916.

A. J. WICKWAR,
for Surveyor-General.

IT is hereby notified under Ordinance No. 26 of 1909 that the under-mentioned have been registered and licensed to practise as Surveyors and Levellers for the current year:—

Date of License	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
June 14, 1916	339	A 245	Senaratne, H. F. F.	Rawatawatta, Moratuwa
Do.	338	A 246	Rodrigo, J. R. A.	"Kirkby," Panadura

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, June 15, 1916.

A. H. G. DAWSON,
for Surveyor-General.

EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION FOR CANDIDATES WISHING TO ENTER THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT AS LEARNERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a competitive examination for candidates wishing to enter the Excise Department as Learners with a view to appointments as Excise Inspectors will be held at the old Royal College by the Director of Education on July 20, 21, and 22, 1916, at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M. daily.

2. The number of places open for competition cannot now be definitely stated, perhaps 12 men can be taken on promptly and others later on.

3. Before admission to the entrance examination a candidate must send or personally deliver to the Excise Commissioner not later than 2 P.M. on July 6, 1916, the following:—

- (a) An application (on a form obtained from the Excise Commissioner's Office) duly filled in by the applicant himself.
- (b) A certificate or several certificates of his good character signed by one or more responsible persons to the satisfaction of the Excise Commissioner.
- (c) A certificate of the registration of the candidate's birth, showing him to be on the first day of the examination between the ages of 20 and 25 (unless the Excise Commissioner decides to make a special exception). Affidavits and horoscopes will not be accepted in proof of age. Baptismal certificates will be accepted if the baptism took place within four months of the date of birth.

N.B.—Applicants who have already sent in forms duly filled in need not make fresh applications. Memoranda calling for birth certificates, &c., are sent to those whose applications have already been registered in the Excise Commissioner's Office.

4. If the application is considered satisfactory, a form of admission to the examination will be forwarded to the applicant by post. The applicant must then affix to it Ceylon stamps to the value of Rs. 5, and produce the form, duly stamped and with the stamps undefaced, to the officer conducting the examination. Stamps cut, torn, or in any way defaced will not be accepted. Any candidate failing to produce the form duly stamped, whatever may be the reason for doing so, will not be admitted to the examination.

5. Rejected candidates will be duly informed of the non-acceptance of their applications.

6. Time table and subjects:—

		Total Marks.
July 20	10 A.M.: <i>General English</i> (including simple composition)	200
	2 P.M.: <i>Dictation</i> (spelling 100 and handwriting 200)	300
July 21	10 A.M.: <i>Arithmetic</i> 200 (the compound rules of addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division, averages, G. C. M. and L. C. M., vulgar and decimal fractions, ratio and proportion, percentages, simple and compound interest, and extraction of the square root) and <i>Tots</i> 100	300
	2 P.M.: <i>Elementary Physics</i> (simple questions on the properties of matter, heat, and gases, and the use of thermometers and hydrometers)	100
	<i>and</i>	
	<i>Elementary Chemistry</i> (simple questions on general elementary principles of Chemistry)	100
	N.B.—Elementary Physics and Elementary Chemistry are optional subjects.	
	No candidate is allowed to take up both papers.	
July 22	10 A.M.: <i>English</i> .	

7. There is no compulsory minimum of marks to be obtained in any subject, but candidates will be tested in reading and knowledge of colloquial English.

8. The candidates who obtain the highest aggregate marks in the examination will, subject to their other qualifications being considered satisfactory, be selected up to the number required for admission as Learners. Before any candidate is so selected, he must undergo and pass a medical examination as to his fitness for service in any part of the Island. The medical examination will be held by the Principal Civil Medical Officer, and a fee of Rs. 10 for such examination will be charged.

9. Such candidates will be required to undergo a course of training as Learners for a probationary period, which may perhaps be usually six months, part of which will be spent in office and part in outdoor work under Assistant Superintendents of Excise or experienced Excise Inspectors.

10. Learners will receive a subsistence allowance of Rs. 35 per mensem while attached to an office, and in addition a travelling allowance of Rs. 35 per mensem while attached for outdoor work to an Assistant Superintendent of Excise or Inspector.

11. The payment of the allowances is contingent on the satisfactory behaviour of the Learner. Any Learner who does not satisfy the Excise Commissioner as regards progress in the study of Excise work and good behaviour is liable to summary rejection at any time during the period of training and forfeiture of his allowance, and any Learner so rejected will for the future be ineligible for service in the Excise Department.

12. Before the end of the probationary period Excise Learners will be required to pass an examination in—

- Excise work generally.
- Preliminary Excise Law.
- Colloquial Sinhalese or Tamil.

13. At the close of a period of training Learners who are considered satisfactory and have passed the examination prescribed in the preceding condition 12 will be appointed, on probation for three years, with salary at Rs. 50 per mensem and commuted allowance, as Excise Inspectors, as vacancies occur. During the period of waiting for appointment as Excise Inspector, Learners will continue to receive pay as specified in condition 10 *supra*.

14. Clerks of the Excise Department, irrespective of age who have put in two years' satisfactory service in the Department, may be nominated by the Excise Commissioner, subject to the approval of Government, for direct entry into the class of Learners. They must secure a pass in the examination prescribed by condition 12, and are then eligible (subject to the medical examination prescribed in condition 8) to one out of every four vacancies.

15. All persons passing into the Excise Department will be bound by such rules and regulations as have been or may hereafter be made for the Department.

A. C. ALLNUTT,
Acting Excise Commissioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Boys' School at Batuwatta will be removed to a new site within 48 yards from the present site.

Observations will be received not later than July 22, 1916.

Education Office,
Colombo, June 17, 1916.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

GOVERNMENT TRAINING COLLEGE.

THE following student teachers have successfully completed their two years' course of training (1914-15) at the Government Training College, and have been awarded the Certificate of the Second Class:—

SINHALESE MEN STUDENTS.

Final Examinations, 1915.

Order of Merit.	Name.	Order of Merit.	Name.
1 ..	Perera, D. J.	11 ..	Perera, K. A. J.
2 ..	Prajnaratna, M. D.	12 ..	Abeyasinghe, D. G.
3 ..	Senanayaka, B. R.	13 ..	Dasanayaka, P. B.
4 ..	Abayawikrama, D.	14 ..	Charles, L. D.
5 ..	Silva, V. D. C. D.	15 ..	{ Ekanayaka, P. B.
6 ..	Atapattu, D. L.	15 ..	{ Samarakoon, H.M.D.B.
7 ..	Ratnayaka, H. D. S.	17 ..	Piyadasa, N. A.
8 ..	Wijesinha, D. S.	18 ..	Mohotti, L. A.
9 ..	Appuhami, G. G.	19 ..	Ekanayaka, K. B.
10 ..	Punchi Singho, P. H.	20 ..	Weerakoon, K. B.

MISSION STUDENTS (SINHALESE MEN).

Second Class Certificate.

Order of Merit.	Name.	Mission.
1 ..	Perera, A. E. H.	.. Baptist
2 ..	Gamalatte, D. C.	.. Church Mission Society
3 ..	Kulatilaka, K. D.	.. do.
4 ..	Atapattu, B. H.	.. Wesleyan
5 ..	Wijesundara, H. L. B.	.. Church Mission Society

Third Class Certificate.

6 ..	Ratnayaka, A. P. W.	.. Church Mission Society
7 ..	Rupasingha, J. A. P.	.. Baptist
8 ..	Jayasekara, D. P. A.	.. Church Mission Society

Education Office,
Colombo, May 31, 1916.

E. EVANS,
for Director of Education.

GOVERNMENT TRAINING COLLEGE.

Final Examinations, December, 1915.

THE following candidates, whose names are arranged in order of merit, were successful at the Trained Teachers' Final Examinations held in December, 1915, and have been awarded Second Class Certificates:—

Women.

1. L. Ferdinando | 2. A. Blazé

Infant Teachers.

1. R. Honter | 2. I. de la Zilva

Men.

- | | |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. J. E. V. Pieris | 6. S. S. Tambimutto |
| 2. S. L. B. Kapukotuwa | 7. T. S. Selviah |
| 3. V. T. S. Sivagurunathen | 8. M. B. E. de Silva |
| 4. L. H. Mettananda | 9. A. S. C. Bulathsinhala |
| 5. C. A. Puvinyagam | 10. J. P. Chelliah |

The following have been awarded drawing certificates:—

First Class.

S. L. B. Kapukotuwa.

Second Class.

L. H. Mettananda

Education Office,
Colombo, May 31, 1916.

E. EVANS,
for Director of Education.

WHEREAS Shot-hole Borer of tea is present on the following estates, that is to say:—

Central Province.

Tavalamtenne estate .. Ramboda
Wavena estate .. Matale

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Galbode estate .. Ratnapura

Under regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,675 of October 23, 1914, the said estates are hereby declared to be and are in quarantine.

Royal Botanic Gardens,
Peradeniya, June 14, 1916.

R. N. LYNE,
Director of Agriculture.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber from October 1, 1916, to September 10, 1917.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for Timber" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on July 11, 1916.

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. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

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

or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. The 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.

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

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

11. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

12. 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. C. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

June 19, 1916.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the work of repairing the houses occupied by the Patrols Albano and Surapathy of the Salt Stores at Kalpitiya.

2. The tender should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, on the left corner of which must be written the words "Tender for repairing the Houses occupied by the Patrols Albano and Surapathy of the Salt Stores at Kalpitiya," and it must be sent to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, so that he may receive it before 1 P.M. on June 30, 1916.

3. The intending tenderer should, before sending his tender to the Assistant Government Agent, deposit a sum of Rs 10 at any Kachcheri, and should annex to his tender the receipt obtained for the deposit of that sum. The sum of Rs. 10 will be held as a security for the tenderer's entering, in the event of his tender being accepted, into a contract with the Assistant Government Agent for carrying out the work in a satisfactory manner.

4. The tenderer should name an address at Puttalam where letters for him may be left or delivered.

5. The work should be completed within three weeks after the contract was entered into.

6. Further particulars regarding the work may be obtained from the Salt Inspector. Puttalam.

Description of the Work to be done.

All the decayed and worthless cadjan, timber, &c., that are on the buildings now should be removed and replaced by new materials.

The roof of the houses should be thatched with new cadjan, and new pootus should be placed on the top to serve as weights. The floor should be raised with clay and repaired wherever necessary.

One of the rooms in Patrol Surapathy's house should be fitted with a door frame and shutters.

Two new posts should be erected in the kitchen of Patrol Albano's house.

A fence should be erected around the hut, and the fence on the side should also be repaired.

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

Puttalam Kachcheri,
June 2, 1916.

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 1916.

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 Tuesday, July 11, 1916.

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,
June 10, 1916.

S. H. WADIA,
for Government Agent.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE under-noted superfluous articles will be sold by public auction at 2 P.M. on Wednesday, July 5, 1916, at the Civil Medical Stores, Francis road, Maradana :—

40	iron drums,	10-gallon size	(spirit)
150	Do.	5 do.	(paraffin)
100	Do.	2 do.	do.
50	Do.	1 do.	do.
150	Do.	5 do.	(disinfectant)
200	Do.	2 do.	do.
50	Do.	1 do.	do.
200	Do.	5 do.	(oil)
100	Do.	2 do.	do.
25	Do.	1 do.	do.
7 wooden casks, 100-gallon size			
1 lot tins of sorts			
2 lots firewood			
1 lot stone jars			

E. L. HUNT,
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, June 20, 1916.

auction at the Ratnapura Government Ambalam on July 18, 1916, at 2 P.M. :—

10 lots bangles	1 medal
10 lots rings	2 waist chains
2 lots ear ornaments	1 crooked comb
5 lots fancy beads	1 razor
4 lots nose ornaments	1 pair scissors
2 penknives	2 buttons
4 lots earrings	1 razor strop
2 cloth bags	1 handkerchief
1 lot keys	2 gauze banians
1 lot amulets	2 padlocks
2 lots thali	2 chintz cloths
1 lot neck ornaments	1 shirt
1 finger ornament	2 coats
1 lot rosaries	1 comb

District Court,
Ratnapura, June 9, 1916.

E. T. HUGHES,
District Judge.

A YOUNG bull belonging to the Experiment Station, Peradeniya, will be sold by public auction by the Assistant Government Veterinary Surgeon, Kandy, on Saturday, June 24, 1916, at 9 A.M., on the spot.

Experiment Station,
Peradeniya, June 19, 1916.

D. S. CORLETT,
Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following articles, the unclaimed effects of patients who died in Government hospitals in Ratnapura District, will be sold by public

THE under-mentioned articles belonging to discharged patients of the pauper section will be sold by public auction on Saturday, July 22, 1916, at 2 P.M., at the Hospital premises, if not claimed before that date:—

8,715, Raikie .. 4 bangles
330, Alice Rozairo .. 2 earrings

General Hospital,
Colombo, June 20, 1916.

G. THORNTON, M.D.,
Medical Superintendent.

IT is hereby notified that the following confiscated articles will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, June 27, 1916, at 2 P.M., at this court:—

7 shawl cloths | 21 bone elephants
2 silk shawls | 2 timepieces

Joint Police Court,
Colombo, June 15, 1916.

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

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended June 17, 1916.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 102 (1 European, 12 Burghers, 55 Sinhalese, 13 Tamils, 13 Moors, 3 Malays, and 5 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1916, viz., 255,354) was 20·9, as against 21·7 in the preceding week, 20·2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 22·7 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 140 (1 European, 11 Burghers, 62 Sinhalese, 39 Tamils, 13 Moors, 3 Malays, and 11 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 28·7, as against 27·6 in the previous week, 29·5 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25·8 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 140 total deaths, 31 were of infants under one year of age, as against 22 in the preceding week, 35 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 29 the average for last year.

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

Principal Causes of Death.—Twenty deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, as against 9 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 7 were in Maradana (including 4 deaths of non-residents in hospitals, 5 in Kotahena, 3 in New Bazaar, 2 in Wellawatta, 1 in St. Paul's, 1 in Slave Island, and 1 in Kollupitiya.

2. Seventeen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, as against 22 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 6 were in Wellawatta, 3 in Maradana (including a death of a non-resident in hospital), 2 in Kotahena, 2 in New Bazaar, 2 in Slave Island, and 2 in Kollupitiya. Four deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered.

3. Three deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, as against 4 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 1 was in Pettah, 1 in St. Paul's, and 1 in New Bazaar.

4. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered, as against 4 in the previous week and 2 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 1 was in Maradana and 1 in Kollupitiya. Seven cases were reported, as against 3 in the previous week.

5. Two deaths from *Cholera* were registered (in Fort and Galle Face), as against 4 in the previous week. No cases were reported. One was reported in the previous week.

6. One death from *Smallpox*, of a passenger on board ss. Cormorant, was registered at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellawatta. One death from *Beri-beri*, of a passenger on board ss. City of Corinth, was registered at the General Hospital, Maradana.

7. Eleven deaths from *Infantile Convulsions* were registered, 10 from *Enteritis*, 10 from *Debility*, 6 from *Dysentery*, and 53 from *Other Causes*.

8. There were reported 15 cases of *Chickenpox*, as against 41 in the previous week; and 19 of *Measles*, as against 26 in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 80·1°, against 80·2° in the preceding week and 82·1° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·803 in., against 29·747 in. in the preceding week and 29·805 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2·35 in., against 2·20 in. in the preceding week and 2·34 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 20, 1916.

F. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General

[Notice received after closing of Part V.]

The Nilavale Coconut Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Nilavale Coconut Company, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, July 3, 1916, at 11 A.M., when the subjoined resolution will be proposed:—

“That the Nilavale Coconut Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.”

Notice is hereby also given that a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, July 24, 1916, at 11 A.M., for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings at the above-mentioned meeting and of confirming (if thought fit) as a special resolution the above-mentioned resolution, and for the purpose of considering and (if thought fit) of passing the following further resolutions:—

1. “That Mr. Herbert James Adkins, of Negombo, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company.”
2. “That Mr. Edward Fell Burgess, A.C.A., of Colombo, be appointed to inspect the accounts of the Liquidator as soon as the affairs of the Company are fully wound up.”

By order of the Directors,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, June 21, 1916.