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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.

HEREAS by Our Proclamation issued the 18th day of November, 1915, and published in the Government Gazette No. 6,756 of the 19th day of November, 1915, the exportation of certain articles from Ceylon to the Netherlands was prohibited with certain limitations in pursuance of a Royal Proclamation dated the 25th day of June, 1915:

And whereas the said Proclamation was amended by Us in pursuance of an Order of the Lords in Council dated the 15th day of November, 1915, by Our Proclamation of the 7th day of January, 1916, published in Government Gazette No. 6,769 of the 13th day of January, 1916, by the inclusion of the item "Tobacco" among the exceptions mentioned in column 2 in the schedule attached to the said Proclamation:

And whereas the Lords in Council have by their Order made on the 4th day of July, 1916, revoked their said Order of the 15th day of November, 1915:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in pursuance of "The Necessaries of War Exportation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1914," do hereby revoke Our said Proclamation of the 7th day of January, 1916, and published in the Government Gazette No. 6,769 of the 13th day of January, 1916, and call upon His Majesty's subjects and all other persons resident in the Colony to govern themselves accordingly.

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

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary. "THE NECESSARIES OF WAR EXPORTATION ORDINANCE, No. 19 OF 1914."

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.

HEREAS in pursuance of the said "The Necessaries of War Exportation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1914," We did, by Our Proclamation dated the 3rd day of July, 1916, published in the Government Gazette No. 6,804 of the 4th day of July, 1916, prohibit the exportation from Ceylon of certain articles to the extent therein specified:

And whereas by Our Proclamation dated the 28th day of July, 1916, published in the Government Gazette No. 6,816 of the 4th day of August, 1916, We did make certain amendments in and additions to the schedule thereto:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in pursuance of the aforesaid Ordinance and of Orders of the Lords in Council dated the 28th day of June and the 4th day of July, 1916, do hereby make the following further amendments in and additions to the said schedule:—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :-

Woods, the following:-

- (c) Lignum vitæ.
- (c) Mahogany.
- (2) That the following headings should be added:—
 - (c) Bristles.
 - (A) Cape garnets or rubies.
 - (A) Copper stamps used for stamping woven piece goods.
 - (A) Fire bricks and fire clay.
 - (c) Insulating materials, the following :--

Leatheroid.

Oiled cloth and tape.

Vulcanized fibre.

- (c) Rattan, woven.
- (c) Tea.
- (c) Varnishes, spirit, containing gum.
- (A) Vinegar containing not more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid.
- (A) Vinegar essence and similar preparations containing more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid.
- (a) Wire, barbed, and galvanized wire. Woods, the following:—
- (A) Beefwood.
- (A) Birch.
- (A) Boxwood.
- (A) Dogwood.
- (A) Greenheart.
- (A) Hickory.
- (A) Lancewood.

- (A) Lignum vitæ.
- (A) Mahogany.
- (A) Padouk.
- (a) Sabicu.
- (A) Teak.
- (A) Whitewood:
- (3) That the headings "(A) Bags and sacks made of jute" and "(A) Jute wrappers (Surrat tares)" should be deleted, and there be substituted therefor the heading "(A) Bags, wrappers, or sacks made of jute, other than any such bags, wrappers, or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation, and are allowed by the Principal Collector of Customs to be shipped as such coverings."
 - (4) That the following headings should be deleted:-

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:-

- (c) Meats of all kinds (except poultry and game), not including beef and mutton, fresh or refrigerated.
- (c) Resins and resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc).
- (5) That the following headings should be added:—
 - (c) Bamboo.
 - (c) Feathers and down.
 - (o) Felspar

(A)

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:-

- (c) Meat of all kinds, not including beef and mutton, fresh or refrigerated.
- (c) Poultry and game.
 - Rennet powder, rennet extract, and other preparations of rennet.
- (c) Resins, resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc), and articles containing resins and resinous substances.
- (a) Tobacco.

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

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary. 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.

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JOHN ANDERSON.

NOW Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby proclaim that the Order of His Majesty in Council dated the 7th day of July 1916, and published in the schedule hereto, is in force in the Colony of Ceylon, and do hereby call upon His Majesty's subjects and all other persons being in the said Colony to govern themselves accordingly.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-sixth day of August, 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.

The Maritime Rights Order in Council, 1916.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 7th day of July, 1916.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the 20th day of August, 1914, His Majesty was pleased to declare that during the present hostilities the provisions of the Declaration of London should, subject to certain additions and modifications therein specified, be adopted and put in force by His Majesty's Government:

And whereas the said Declaration was adopted as aforementioned in common with His Majesty's Allies:

And whereas it has been necessary for His Majesty and for His Allies from time to time to issue further enactments modifying the application of the articles of the said Declaration:

And whereas Orders in Council for this purpose have been issued by His Majesty on the 29th day of October,

1914, the 20th day of October, 1915, and the 30th day of March, 1916:

And whereas the issue of these successive Orders in Council may have given rise to some doubt as to the intention of His Majesty, as also as to that of His Allies, to act in strict accordance with the law of nations, and it is therefore expedient to withdraw the said Orders so far as they are now in force:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Declaration of London Order in Council No. 2, 1914, and all Orders subsequent thereto amending

the said Order are hereby withdrawn:

And His Majesty is pleased further to declare, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and it is hereby declared, that it is and always has been His intention, as it is and has been that of His Allies, to exercise their belligerent rights at sea in strict accordance with the law of nations:

And whereas on account of the changed conditions of commerce and the diversity of practice doubts might arise in certain matters as to the rules which His Majesty and His Allies regard as being in conformity with the law of nations, and it is expedient to deal with such matters specifically:

It is hereby ordered that the following provisions shall be observed:—

- (a) The hostile destination required for the condemnation of contraband articles shall be presumed to exist, until the contrary is shown, if the goods are consigned to or for an enemy authority, or an agent of the enemy State, or to or for a person in territory belonging to or occupied by the enemy, or to or for a person who, during the present hostilities, has forwarded contraband goods to an enemy authority, or an agent of the enemy State, or to or for a person in territory belonging to or occupied by the enemy, or if the goods are consigned "to order," or if the ship's papers do not show who is the real consignee of the goods.
- (b) The principle of continuous voyage or ultimate destination shall be applicable both in cases of contraband and of blockade.
- (c) A neutral vessel carrying contraband with papers indicating a neutral destination, which, notwithstanding the destination shown on the papers, proceeds to an enemy port, shall be liable to capture and condemnation if she is encountered before the end of her next voyage.

(d) A vessel carrying contraband shall be liable to capture and condemnation if the contraband, reckoned either by value, weight, volume, or freight, forms more than half the cargo.

And it is hereby further ordered as follows:-

(i.) Nothing herein shall be deemed to affect the Order in Council of the 11th March, 1915, for restricting further the commerce of the enemy or any of His Majesty's Proclamations declaring articles to be contraband of war during the present hostilities.

(ii.) Nothing herein shall affect the validity of anything done under the Orders in Council hereby withdrawn.

(iii.) Any cause or proceeding commenced in any Prize Court before the making of this Order may, if the Court thinks just, be heard and decided under the provisions of the Orders hereby withdrawn so far as they were in force at the date when such cause or proceeding was commenced, or would have been applicable in such cause or proceeding if this Order had not been made.

This Order may be cited as" The Maritime Rights Order in Council, 1916."

And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and each of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, the President of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice, all other Judges of His Majesty's Prize Courts, and all Governors, Officers, and Authorities whom it may concern, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 268 of 1916.

ITH reference to the Notification No. 170, dated May 26, 1916, published in the Gazette of the same date, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the Secretary of State FOR THE COLONIES, to sanction the promotion of Mr. E. B. DENHAM to Class I., Grade II., of the Civil Service, and his appointment as Director of Education, with effect from August 29, 1916.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 30, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

^cNo. 269 of 1916.

IIIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following arrange

Mr. N. Izar to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge, Negombo, for September 5,

Mr. T. K. CARRON to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Negombo, on September 4, 5, and 6, 1916.

Mr. E. G. AUWARDT to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, for August 29 and 30, 1916, during the absence of Mr. F. D. Peries from the station.

Dr. K. Ponniah, Medical Officer, Kalpitiya, to be an Official Member of the Sanitary Board of Kalpitiya, vice Dr. M. VETTIVALOE, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 29, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 270 of 1916.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Town Guard No. 1 Battalion (Combatant):-

To be Major.

Captain George Lionel Cox, vice Major O. Symons, resigned.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant HARRY FRENCH, vice Captain F. J. HAWKES, transferred to Motor Cyclists' Corps.

Lieutenant DAVID SCOTT, vice Captain G. L. Cox, promoted.

By His Excellency's command, Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, August 29, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary. No. 271 of 1916.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Matara for the year 1917, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 and section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:-

Mr. W. C. J. de Silva. Mr. D. M. J. Weerasuriya.

Mr. S. D. S. SENARATNA.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 28, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 272 of 1916.

IIIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under the production of to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Ratnapura for the year 1917, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 :-

Mr. M. A. D. MARTINUS PERERA.

Mr. P. S. KATUGAHA.

Mr. P. S. Marakar.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 30, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 273 of 1916.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. Manikkam Chelliah to be an Inquirer for the division of Karikkaddumullai, in the District of Mullaittivu, Northern Province.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 25, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

No. 274 of 1916.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Rajapaksa Dissanayaka Charles Appu-HAMY, Korala, Diyapotagampattu, to be an Inquirer for Kolonna korale, Ratnapura District, vice D. S. S. R. KIRI BANDA, Korala, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office. Colombo, August 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. Walter Richard Jansz to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Colombo District of the Western Province from August 19 to 31, 1916, vice Mr. S. D. DHONDY, on leave. His office will be at the Colombo

Mr. M. P. DIYAGAMA to act as Registrar of Lands, Galle, for three days from August 22, 1916, during the absence on leave of the Registrar, Mr. E. F. DIAS, or until further orders.

Mr. J. E. SENANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Lands for the District of Hambantota, holding office at Tangalla, for six days from September 4, 1916, during the absence on leave of the Registrar, Mr. P. D. RATNATUNGA, or until further orders.

NALAWATTAGE MANUEL PINTO SENANAYAKA to be provisionally Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambatalenpahala West division, and of Marriages (General) of Ambatalenpahala division, of the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from September 1, 1916, vice M. PAUL PERERA, deceased. His office will be at Welangagahawatta in Wellampitiya.

WEVALAGE VINCENT FERNANDO to be Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Nuwara Eliya town division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, with effect from August 25, 1916, vice Deputy Registrar, A. A. M. DE SILVA, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Nuwara Eliya.

Santhiyappillai Anthonippillai to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for two months, with effect from September 9, 1916, vice Registrar, S. D. Tampu, on leave. His office will be at Karampaiyak-kandy in Karaveddy West, and station at Anaiviluntan in Valluvedditturai.

Dr. RICHARD WILLOUGHBY WILLENBERG, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (London), to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Anuradhapura town division, in the Anuradhapuro District of the North-Central Province, with effect from September 1, 1916, vice Dr. K. Ponniah, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Anuradhapura.

Delkandure Danapala Mudiyanselaye Jayawardena Banda to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the

Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from August 21, 1916, up to August 31, 1916, vice R. A. DASANAYAKA, resigned. His office will be at Getahettewatta in Getahetta.

DEHIWALA LIYANAGE DHARMAWARDHANA to be Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from September 1, 1916, vice F. A. PÜNCHIHEWA, transferred. His office will be at the Land Registry, Ratnapura.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, August 26, 1916. Colonial Secretary.

IIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to confirm Don SIYADORIS ABAYAGUNAWARDANA in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dellawa division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province. His office will be at Ihinawalagodellewatta in Andadolegama.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, August 25, 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 CHEMPAKKUDDIPPODI ELIYATAMPI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manmunai pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Manmunai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from August 21, 1916, vice Registrar, K. KANTAPPODI, resigned. His office will be at Putuvalavu in Kokkoddichcholai, with stations at Ampilanturai and Panichchaiyadimunmari.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Don Kustan Pathmeperuma to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waga division, and of Marriages (General) of Meda pattu of Hewagam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for three days from August 16, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, Don Aron Pathmeperuma, on leave. His office will be at Bogahawatta in Galagedara.

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 thirty days from August 25, 1916, vice Paulis de Costa, retired. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Tumbowila.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed Kiriwattuduwage Don Pedrick Gunatilaka to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Rayigama division, and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from August 27, 1916, vice Registrar, K. Don Siman Gunatilara, discontinued. His office will be at Sittigewatta at Gelanigama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed Ekanayaka Mudiyanselage Puhulpanawe Walawwe Heen Banda Ekanayaka 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 fifteen days from August 17, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, R. B. Ekanayaka, on leave. His office will be at Meegastennewatta in Arattana, and station at Medapanguwekumbura in Naranpanawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed Talkumburegedara Suriya Wijakon Gunawat Mudiyanselage Vidane to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapalata division, and of Marriages (General) of Walapane division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for ten days from August 17, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, U. Punchirala, on leave. His office will be at Udawela in Kalaganwatta.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed WIRAKKODY BARNARD MEDONSA WIJERAMA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kosgoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three

weeks from August 31, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, A. D. Z. JAYATILARA, on leave. His office will be at Bogahaliyaddewatta in Nape at Kosgoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed Don Bastian Siriwardana to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mattalawalakada division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twelve days from August 19, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. S. Disanayaka, on leave. His office will be at Mahagederawatta in Una-atuwewa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed VALATTISAR RAYAPPU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kachchai division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from August 20, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, B. NANAPPRAGASAM, on leave. His office will be at Kadduvalavu in Usan.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed VAYITTIYANATAR KANAPATIPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of the Delft division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for three weeks from August 21, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, S. CHELLIAH, on leave. His office will be at Star of the Sea in Delft.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed Kayittampillai Philip to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Delft division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for three weeks from August 21, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, S. Chelliah, on leave. His office will be at Star of the Sea in Delft.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed Muttiahpillai Somasundaram to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of The Islands division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from August 22, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, V. Muttiahpillai, on leave. His office will be at Achchavalai in Velanai East; stations: Manatkadu in Punkudutivu and Papparavanchally in Nayinativu.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed Abraham Ephraim to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for one day from August 29, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, J. P. Sapapatippillai, on leave. His office will be at Thiyakiyavalavu in Tondamannar; station: Sinkavakutevan in Point Pedro.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed Yapa Mahawikum Mahante Wahala Muditanseralahamille Tebes Sirimewan Subahsinha Bandara to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from August 18, 1916, vice Registrar, T. W. A. Perera, transferred. His office will be at the Kurunegala Kachcheri. The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed Andrawas Patabendi Theodore de Vas Goone-

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed Andrawas Patabendi Theodore de Vas Goonewardena to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Badulla town division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for fourteen days from August 19, 1916, during the absence of the Deputy Registrar, W. S. Fernando, absent on other duty. His office will be at the Badulla Civil Hospital.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed Rajapaksha Wasala Mudiyanselage Tilakaratna Bandara Mirahawatta to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dambawinipalata division, and of Marriages (General) of Udukinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for seven days from September 2, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, G. N. B. Mirahawatta, on leave. His office will be at Walauwewatta in Mirahawatta.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed Walkature Mudiyanselage Lokubanda Godigomuwa to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ganhata palata division, and of Marriages (General) of Paranakuru korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirty days from September 1, 1916, during the absence of the Registrar, A. P. N. Banda, on leave. His office will be at Egodawatta in Uggoda.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, August 29, 1916. W. L. KINDERSLEY, Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

"THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1895."

HEREAS 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:

And whereas it appears expedient to His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, that the division specified in the first column of the annexed schedule should be amended and altered in the manner

specified in the second column of the said schedule:

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 October 1, 1916, the division specified in the first column of the annexed schedule in the manner specified in the second column thereof.

By His Excellency's command,

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

R. E. STUBBS. Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

North-Western Province, Kurunegala District.

Division as defined by Notification dated July 1, 1899.

-Udukaha and Walgampattu Korales Division.

Boundaries:

East by Walasgolla, Dunukedeniya, Walpolagedera, Moragolla, Madawala, Hambare, Gonigala, wattegama, Embalawa, Pallawa, Dampitiya, Wihena, Eriyagoda, Hanhamunawa, Mudalpola, Kelimune, Habarogama.

Gorakamaditta, Kirala-Dehikumbura, Pugalla, South by bokka. Kalugomuwa, Kandegedera, Gini-Hurugpenda. Hewanagedera, gomuwa, Welamitiyawa.

West by Baddegama, Ihalakadadunna, est by Baddegame, Lokuhettiya, Kaludeliya, Pana-Visimetivagare, Weudagama, Wediyakpitiya, Katupota, Watukana, Galwewa, Pubbowa, Galwewa, Panakaduwa.

North by Waduressepitiya, Gallehapitiya, Ginimanua, Panditagama, Hidowa, Badahelagama, Kadihare. Walpola, Kumbalporuwa, Mahakeliya.

Division as amended and altered by this Notification.

28 (a).—Walgampattu Korale Division.

Boundaries :--

East the stream Maguru-oya.

South the stream Talwattegamamalaela, the hill Gonigalakanda, the estate Sandagalawatta, the village Madawela, the Crown forest Kosgahagodamukalana, the Gansa-bhawa road, the estate Rukattanewatta, the villages Wegama, Patinwatta, Badalagama, the stream Kolamunu-oya, the villages Ranwalagedera, Kaludeliya cart road to Katupota, the rock Deberagala, the road from Katupota junction to Munamaldeniya.

West the hill Watukanakanda, the

village Potuhera.

North the Gansabhawa road to Potuhera, the minor road to Rambawewa, the Gansabhawa road from Mawihena to Erihabe, the Mahakeliya minor road, the hill Kandubodakanda, the forest Kadawatakele, the maha nuga tree, the Gansabhawa road to Batupitigama, the forest Mahayaya.

28 (b).—Dewamedi Udukaha Korale Division.

Boundaries :

East the village Hambare, the estates Kohanewatta and Sandagalawatta, the village Uhumiya, the estate Cloviswatta, the villages Walpolagedera and Bulupitiya.

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South the villages Welagedera, Siyambalawehera, Udugama, Makuloluwa, Ilukgoda, Bamburugama, Miwewa, Kalipola, Wiharegama.
West the villages Karagahagedara, Henegedera, Hindakumbura, Wadu-

ressegama.

North the villages Konwitiyana, Kolamunna, Madawalagedera, Kossowa, the estate Mayawatta, the villages Dampitiya, Rilaulla, Siwalla gedera, Ratmale, Homatagama. Siwallawa-

"THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCE, 1892."

T is hereby notified that the following by-laws made by the Sanitary Board of the Galle District, Southern Province, under section 9 E (2) (d) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, as amended by Ordinance No. 30 of 1909, have been approved by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, and are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 24, 1916. By His Excellency's command, R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAWS re FISH STALLS.

Every fish stall in a Sanitary Board town in the Galle District shall be well ventilated and well lighted, and the walls thereof shall be plastered and cement washed. 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 drain and bucket shall be washed with disinfectant 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 dust, and the walls and floor kept in a state of repair.

2. Instead of the drain referred to in the last preceding rule, a fishmonger may use a large zinc sheet or concrete counter having a fall towards its centre, and so

arranged that washings shall fall into the bucket.

3. Every table used in a fish stall shall be zinc covered or marble topped, or of other non-absorbent material. Such tables and chopping blocks 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 fish shall be polished and free from rust.

4. Fish baskets shall be washed daily and kept exposed to the sun and air on

shelves outside the stall and not be kept inside the fish shop.

5. Every fish stall holder shall provide himself with a movable covered nonabsorbent receptacle for waste materials.

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.

No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease

shall be employed in a fish stall.

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

A copy of these by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in

"THE VOLUNTEER ORDINANCE, 1910."

T is hereby notified that, in terms of the provisions of section 9 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1910, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following amendments to the rules and regulations relating to the Ceylon Volunteer Force :-

Rule 122 .-- Under Ceylon Artillery Volunteers, after "Qualify as a signaller; or" insert "Qualify as a position finder; or.'

Rule 226.—In line 3, after "field range finding," omit "and," and after "gun laying" add "and position finding.'

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 31, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS. Colonial Secretary.

"THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, 1899."

OTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 34 of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899," and on the recommendation of the "proper authority," to wit, the Government Agent of the Northern Province, has been pleased to approve of the allotment of land set out in the schedule hereto being provided and used as a burial ground by the Protestant Christians resident in the village of Araly, in the Valikamam West division of the Jaffna District, Northern Province, from the date hereof.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 28, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Name of land: Eachamkadduveli.

Situation: Araly East, in Valikamam West division of the Jaffna District.

Boundaries :-

North by a channel. East by Crown land.

South by property of R. Nannitamby. West by property of A. Chellappah.

Extent: 33.5 perches.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following rule set forth in the Schedule hereto, which has been made, under the provisions of section 6 (8) of the said Ordinance, by the Village Committees in the several divisions of Galboda and Kinigoda korales, Beligal korale, Paranakuru korale, and Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama, of the District of Kegalla, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, and the same is published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 30, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

No person shall clear his throat or expectorate within the precincts of any Village Tribunal or Village Committee court-house.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

T is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following rule set forth in Schedule A, which has been made, under the provisions of section 6 (8) of the said Ordinance, by the Village Committees elected by the inhabitants of the subdivisions set forth in the Schedule B below, in the Chief Headmen's divisions of Hapitigam korale, Alutkuru korale north, Alutkuru korale south, Siyane korale west, Siyane korale east, Hewagam korale, and Colombo Mudaliyar, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, and the same is published for general information. By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 30, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE A.

37 A. No person shall clear his throat or expectorate within the precincts of any Village Tribunal or Village Committee court-house.

SCHEDULE B. Name of Chief Headmen's Divisions. Name of Subdivisions. Hapitigam korale Udugaha North Udugaha South Yatigaha North Yatigaha South Alutkuru korale north Dunagaha Dasiya Talahena Alutkuru korale south Wattala Gampaha Kanûwana Siyane korale west Kelaniya Mahara Henaratgoda

Alutgama Bemmulla Siyane korale east Egodapotha Megodapotha Weke Mapitigama Dompe Hanwella Hewagam korale

Aturugiriya Kaduwela Salpiti korale Mampe Kesbawa Udugaha pattu Colombo Mudaliyar Ambatalenpahala

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ITH reference to the Notification dated July 4, 1916, published in the Government Gazette of the 7th idem, the following additions and correction to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned are published for general information. By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 29, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS, Colonial Secretary.

Additions.

Alieff Ouskouli, Shanghai. Ali Hassanoff, Shanghai. Donaldson, H. B., Peking.

Ku, Yuan & Co., Chefoo. Smith, F. W., Chefoo. Sung, Y.S., Shanghai. Taising Printing Office, Hankow. Westinghouse Electric Export Co., Shanghai.

Wong Kwei Check, Shanghai.

Correction.

Shop should read British Flower British Flower Shop, Shanghai.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

To is hereby notified for general information that the grant-in-aid Roman Catholic mixed school at Utuwankanda, in Galboda korale school division has been added to the control of the con Galboda korale school division, has been added to the list of Public Vernacular Schools mentioned in the schedule to the by-laws of the Kegalla District, and appearing in Government Gazette No. 6,652 of August 21, 1914, under "The Rural Schools Ordinance.

District School Committee. Kegalla, August 16, 1916.

H. A. BURDEN, Chairman.

OTICE is hereby given that the following notice, which appears in the Ceylon Government Gazette No. 6,782 of March 3, 1916, is hereby cancelled.

H. M. Customs,

Colombo, August 29, 1916.

F. Bowes, Principal Collector.

No tea seed imported from India shall be cleared locally from the Customs until the importer has produced to the Principal Collector of Customs a certificate from the Government Chemist in the following form:

Tea Seed Certificate.

I certify that the tea seed imported by Messrs. - in ss. "— -" is not packed in soil – from or a mixture containing soil, and may properly be admitted under clause 3 of the regulations dated October 4, 1910, under Ordinance No. 5 of 1901.

Government Chemist.

Samples to be submitted to the Government Chemist must be drawn and sealed by a Customs Officer.

F. Bowes.

Principal Collector.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Mullaittivu, for the Year 1915.

RECEIPTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1914 Government contribution for 1915-16 School fines	603 0 72 50	1,225 58 675 50	Erection of new buildings and extension of existing buildings Repairs to buildings Making and repairing fences, school gardens, walls, &c. Miscellaneous	50 50 124 25 18 0 7 50	200 25
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Mullaittivu Kachcheri, August 24, 1916. W. L. Murphy, Chairman.

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286 . Pins, mixed	• •		. box		
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2097 Do. $25 \text{ in.} \times 1$	7 DXXX	•	. each	1	8
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3084 Do. square, smooth, 14 in.	• •		. each	0	97
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3467 Padlocks, brass, Chubb's, 23 in				13	
3480 Do. galvanized iron, 21 i			. each		
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MONITORS' EXAMINATION, 1916.

Supplementary List of Successful Candidates in Order of Merit.

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78		495	 Banda, A. M. Punchi	 Emetiyagoda
79		552	 Podisinno, T	 Pepiliyawala
80		385	 Ranatunga, Don Eapin	 Welgama
. 81		583	 Perera, M. C.	 Jambureliya

Education Office, Colombo, August 24, 1916.

EDWIN EVANS, for Director of Education.

Monitors' Examination, 1916.	i i
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NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the work of repairing quarters at Karaitivu occupied by the officers of the Salt Department.

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 Quarters at Karaitivu occupied by the Officers of the Salt Department."

3. The tender should be sent to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, so that he may receive it before 1 P.M. on September 14, 1916.

4. Before sending his tender to the Assistant Government Agent, the intending tenderer should deposit a sum of Rs. 10 at any Kachcheri under the head of "Tender Forms," and should annex to his tender the receipt obtained for the deposit of the sum.

5. This sum of Rs. 10 will be held as a security for his entering into a contract with the Assistant Government Agent for carrying out the work—in the event of his tender being accepted—in a satisfactory manner; and it will be confiscated if he fails to enter into such a contract within a reasonable time after his tender was accepted.

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

7. The work should be completed within five weeks after the contract was entered into.

8. Further particulars may be obtained from the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Description of the Work to be done.

All the worthless cadjan and timber on the buildings now should be removed and replaced by fresh materials.

The roof of all the houses and the outhouses should be rethatched with new cadjan, and pootus should be placed on the top to serve as weight.

The walls should all be whitewashed, being repaired wherever necessary.

Wherever necessary the floor should be raised with clay, levelled, stamped, and cowdunged.

The doors and windows should be repaired and painted.

The fences enclosing the premises should all be repaired.

Wherever necessary a new lock and key should be fixed to the door.

Wherever necessary a new door shutter should be fixed. The white anthills in the wall of the house occupied by the Supervisor should be removed, and the defaced parts of the wall should be rebuilt. The two gable walls in Patrol Bastian's house should be pulled down and rebuilt.

A new latrine should be built adjoining the Salt Inspector's bungalow.

Puttalam Kachcheri, S. M. P. VANDERKOEN, August 22, 1916. for Assistant Government Agent.

EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for removing Tillayadi Salt and weighing into Stores at Kalpitiya," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 P.M. of September 7, 1916, for transporting Tillayadi salt and weighing into stores at Kalpitiya Fort.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:-

1. Salt to be removed in sacks with mouths tied up and to be protected from rain, if any rain falls. Sacks to be supplied by the Government.

2. Rates per 1,000 cwt. to be given.

3. Removal to take place within four days of collection, or within two days of notice to the contractor.

4. The Sub-Inspector of Salt, Kalpitiya, to determine the quantity to be daily removed.

5. Contractor to be paid a moiety of the estimated quantity in deposit soon after final deposit, and balance after storage.

6. Tenderers to deposit a sum of Rs. 5 in Puttalam Kachcheri before tendering.

7. Tenderers to be prepared to give security in Rs. 200 to fulfil contract duly. In failure deposit to be forfeited.

8. Tenderers to name an address in Puttalam for delivery of orders.

9. Tenderers to be at the Kachcheri on date of opening of tenders.

10. Duplicate of tender to be forwarded by post to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue at the same time that he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri, S. M. P. VANDERKOEN, August 22, 1916. for Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited, and will be received by the Honorary Secretary, King Edward VII. Anti-Tuberculosis Fund, for the construction of a sanatorium for consumptives at Kandana, and an approach road thereto, according to plans (six sheets), detailed specification, general specification, general conditions, and bill of quantities, which may be obtained at the Office of the Colombo Port Commission, Customs Building, Colombo.

2. The tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Honorary Secretary, King Edward VII. Anti-Tuberculosis Fund, Port Commission Office, Colombo. They should be marked on the outside "Tender for Sanatorium at Kandana."

, 3. Tenders should either be deposited with the Honorary Secretary by hand, or sent through the post, and should reach the Port Commission Office not later than 12 noon on Friday. September 22, 1916

Friday, September 22, 1916.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Honorary Secretary at the Port Commission Office, 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. 100 will be required to be made either at the Bank of Madras, Colombo, or at a Kachcheri, and a receipt for the same produced before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Honorary Secretary, King Edward VII. Anti-Tuberculosis Fund, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Fund. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

Certain worked timber and bricks now at the premises should be utilized in the construction, and allow-

ance will in due course have to be made therefor.

7. The construction of the building will be under the supervision of the Public Works Department, and the quality of the materials and workmanship should be approved by the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, or the District Engineer, Negombo.

The work should be completed within twelve months

from the date of signing the contract.

9. A sum of Rs. 500 in cash will be required to be deposited in the Bank of Madras, Colombo, as security for the due performance of the contract. Payment will be made from time to time according to the value of work done as assessed by the Public Works Department, onetenth of such value being retained to be paid in full three months after completion of the building.

10. The contract may not be assigned or sublet without the consent of the Sub-Committee of the King Edward VII. Anti-Tuberculosis Fund. The Sub-Committee of the Fund, who will decide with regard to the tenders, reserve to themselves the right of rejecting any or all tenders, and the

right of accepting any tender.

H. K. HILLYER, Honorary Secretary

King Edward VII. Anti-Tuberculosis Fund. Colombo, August 23, 1916.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the erection and completion of proposed new quarters for twelve European married police sergeants upon a site at the junction of Norris road and San Sebastian hill, Colombo.

Tenders must be in duplicate, on forms to be obtained from the Director of Public Works, and must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, marked in the top left hand corner "Tender for Police Sergeants' Quarters," and deposited in the tender box at the Office of the Controller of Revenue before 12 noon on Tuesday, September 26, 1916, or posted so as to reach his office before that time, and must be accompanied by two copies of the bill of quantities fully

3. Tenderers may obtain copies of the specification and bill of quantities and inspect drawings at the Office of the Director of Public Works on depositing the sum of Rs. 100 either at the Treasury or at any Kachcheri and on producing a receipt for the same, which sum 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, should he fail to submit a bona fide tender or to enter into the necessary contract.

4. Persons desirous of tendering should register their names early at the Public Works Department Head Office, Colombo, so as to ensure that sufficient copies of the bill of quantities and specification will be made available for distribution as soon as the deposits above referred to are

made in the Treasury or any Kachcheri. 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. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful bona fide tenderers will be returned.

7. 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. 5,000 in cash 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.

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

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

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, April 30, 1916.

HAROLD T. CREASY for Director of Public Works.

ENDERS will be received by the Resident Engineer, Colombo Drainage Works, up to noon on Saturday, September 30, 1916, for the following services during 1917:-

(1) Supply of cement.

(2) Supply of steam coal.

(3) Supply of tools.

(4) Supply of materials.

(5) Supply of miscellaneous stores.

(6) Supply of broken stone. (7) Supply of sand and gravel.

(8) Supply of kerosine and other oils.

(9) Transport of stores, &c.

(10) Landing and delivery of stores.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for " and forwarded to the Resident Engineer.

3. Tender forms with schedules for any of the ten contracts will be supplied on personal application to the Chief Assistant Engineer from September 11 to 20, 1916, inclusive (Saturday and Sunday excepted), between the hours of 2 P.M. and 4 P.M., upon the deposit of the sum of Rs. 100 for each contract, which will be returned upon receipt of a bona fide tender duly filled in, signed, and delivered, but otherwise the money deposited will be forfeited as ascertained and liquidated damages. A tender is considered delivered when it has been deposited by the contractor or his representative in the box provided for the purpose in the Office of the Chief Assistant Engineer, Colombo Drainage Works. The box will be in position to receive tenders on Saturday, September 30, 1916, from 9 A.M. to 12 noon precisely, when it will be removed. tender presented at the office after the removal of the box will not be accepted, and the deposit of Rs. 100 upon it may be forfeited.

4. A cash security of Rs. 500 on each contract will be

required before any contract will be entered into.

No tender will be accepted until the tenderer has satisfied the Resident Engineer that he is a genuine dealer in his own name in the articles tendered for, and habitually keeps a stock of the same.

The Resident Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves the right of

accepting any tender wholly or in part.

M. R. ATKINS, Resident Engineer, Colombo Drainage Works.

Colombo, August 28, 1916.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Master Attendant's Boatshed at 11 A.M. on Tuesday, September 5, 1916:

85 ashwood oars, broken

1 boat, life

l boat, gig

I boat, mooring

l box with lock

1 box bluestone

2 pairs binoculars

2 Bee clocks 1 coir matting

1 easy chair 86 ft. chain, old, ½-in.

99 ft. chain, old, \(\frac{5}{8}\)-in.
188 ft. chain, old, I-in.

72 ft. chain, old, 13-in.

Master Attendant's Office, Colombo, August 28, 1916. 8 inkstands, earthenware 1 filter

1 frying pan 5 globe lamps, white, broken

1 foghorn

1 signal horn 1 pump, hand 1 screen jakwood

I lot empty paraffin tins I lot empty kerosine tins

1 lot empty carbide

I lot empty oil drums 1 lot empty paint tins

C. E. STAINER, Lt.-Commander, R.N., Master Attendant.

	articles will be sold on Saturday, October 1 P.M., by public auction, at the District	No. of Case. 5,783 5,730	Name of Article. 1 blood-stained banian 1 handkerchief
No. of Case. P. C. 3,532 5,234		5,966	I handkerenner I sarong cloth I handkerchief I umbrella I deer horn I deer skin I jacket I cloth
5,383	24 silver beads 1 bundle of tea stumps 1 bundle of firewood 2 bottles 4 bottles	P. C. 4,898 District Cou Badulla, August	1 carpet 2 pieces of plank rt, W. K. H. GAMPBELL,

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended August 26, 1916.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 94 (3 Europeans, 8 Burghers, 50 Sinhalese, 13 Tamils, 18 Moors, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1916, viz., 259,451) was 18:9, as against 22:0 in the preceding week, 21:6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 22:7 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 135 (1 European, 11 Burghers, 63 Sinhalese, 34 Tamils, 19 Moors, 3 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 27 2, as against 35 3 in the previous week, 23 7 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25 8 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 135 total deaths, 24 were of infants under one year of age, as against 32 in the preceding week, 29 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 3.

Principal Causes of Death.—Twenty deaths from Phthisis were registered, as against 14 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 8 were in Maradana (including 3 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 4 in Kotahena, 3 in Slave Island, 2 in San Sebastian, 2 in Wellawatta, and 1 in St. Paul's.

- 2. Fifteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, as against 19 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 5 were in Kotahena, 3 in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital), 3 in Slave Island, 2 in New Bazaar, and 2 in Kollupitiya. One death from *Bronchitis* was registered.
- 3. Eight deaths from *Plague* were registered, as against 5 in the previous week and 2 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 4 were in New Bazaar, 1 in San Sebastian, 1 in St. Paul's, 1 in Maradana, and 1 in Slave Island. Twelve cases were reported, as against 10 in the previous week.
- 4. Seven deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, as against 10 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 3 were in Wellawatta, 2 in Maradana (including one death of a non-resident in hospital), 1 in Pettah, and 1 in Kollupitiya.
- 5. Two deaths from Measles were registered, as against 1 in the previous week. Of these, 1 was in Kotahena and the other in Maradana. Twenty-eight cases were reported, as against 29 in the previous week. There were also reported fifteen cases of Chickenpox, as against 18 in the previous week.
- 6. Ten deaths from Enteritis were registered, 10 from Debility, 7 from Infantile Convulsions, 6 from Worms, 4 from Dysentery, 1 from Diarrhæa, and 44 from Other Causes.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 79.8°, against 81.7° in the preceding week and 81.7° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.852 in., against 29.891 in. in the preceding week and 29.826 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2.48 in., against 0.05 in. in the preceding week and 0.05 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, August 29, 1916. F. L. Anthonisz, for Registrar-General.