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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 WILLIAM HENRY MANNING, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS certain by-laws were made by the District School Committee of Hambantota, in pursuance of section 19 of “The Rural Schools Ordinance, 1907,” and having been duly confirmed under section 20 (2) of the said Ordinance, were published in the *Government Gazette* dated February 7, 1913, by Proclamation dated January 30, 1913; and whereas the said District School Committee has, in view of section 3 of “The Rural Schools (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 34 of 1917,” amended in manner hereinafter appearing by-law No. 2 of Schedule I. of the said by-laws:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by sub-section (2) of section 20 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby confirm the amendment of the said by-law as set forth in the schedule hereto.

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

By His Excellency’s command,

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

2. *Children to attend School.*—The parent of every child of not less than six nor more than fourteen years of age, or in the case of girls between the ages of six years and twelve years old, or in the case of Muhammadan and Tamil girls of not less than six nor more than ten years of age, shall cause such child to attend one of the schools specified in the

Schedule II. hereto, unless he has made other adequate and suitable provision for the education of such child, or unless there is a reasonable excuse for non-attendance. Provided that no girl shall be required to attend school from a distance exceeding two miles, or at a school at which a female teacher is not employed.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lot situated in the village of Ihala Halmillakotuwa, in the Baladora korale of the Dewamedhi hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Preliminary plan 1,672.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent, A. R. P.
1	Bulugamahulaha, Vendesihena, Dangamahulaha	53 2 36
3	Dangamahulaha	43 0 27
		<u>96 3 23</u>

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lots situated in the village of Pahala Maulla, in the Baladora korale of the Dewamedhi hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Preliminary plan 1,599.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent, A. R. P.	Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent, A. R. P.
23	Kirimakullahena	7 2 16	45	Bogamahullahena	7 3 33
41	Kappuwanaewaihalahena	5 0 10			
43	Bogamahullahena	8 1 37			<u>29 2 18</u>
44	Do.	0 2 2			

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lots situated in the village of Wetakuluwewa, in the Baladora korale of the Dewamedhi hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Preliminary plan 1,598.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent, A. R. P.
1	Galagawahena	28 1 9
22	Kongamahullahena	35 2 5
		<u>63 3 14</u>

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lots situated in the village of Panawewa, in the Kinyama korale of the Katugampola hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.	
		A.	R. P.
4AB	Kadayayahena	57	3 32
4CI	Kongollehenyaya	10	2 35
		68	2 27

"THE STAMP ORDINANCE, 1909."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by virtue of the powers by section 5, sub-section (1) (c), of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," on him conferred, authorized the following Joint Stock Companies, incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, to compound for the payment of stamp duty on share certificates specified in Schedule B of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," as set forth in section 7 of "The Stamp (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 16 of 1917," on the conditions set out in section 5 aforesaid, sub-sections (1) (c) (ii.), (iii.), and (iv.).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1919.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COMPANIES REFERRED TO.

Wilson, Holgate and Company (Ceylon), Limited.
Cullen Estates, Limited.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling fruits, &c., on the platforms to third class passengers at Polgahawela from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920, from persons willing to tender for same.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Fruits, &c., at Polgahawela Railway Station" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Katcheri, 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. The amount of security required will be a month's rent in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

10. Only four salesmen will be allowed on the platform in attendance on any one train. Total number of men on any platform not to exceed eight.

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

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

13. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

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

15. 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.

16. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

18. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned tiles for the use of the Railway Department from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920, viz. :—

South Indian, flat whole, flat half, ridge, single and double ventilator tiles of best quality.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for South Indian Tiles to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 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. Samples must be deposited with the General Manager of the Railway before the dates on which the tenders are due. No tenders will be considered if the samples are not so deposited.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

15. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

17. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 28, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of native half-round tiles and native ridge tiles delivered at Dematagoda Railway Store or elsewhere within the gravets of Colombo, as may be required for the use of the Railway Department, from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Half-round Tiles to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 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. Tenderers are not required to submit samples, but must inspect the standard samples at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tenders will be considered unless such standard samples have been inspected and an undertaking inserted on tender that tiles to the standard of samples inspected will be supplied.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

15. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

17. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 28, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920 :—

Lime, slaked	Clay, white
Lime, boiled	Coral stones

to be delivered at any place within the gravets of Colombo as may be required.

2. Slaked lime must be well burnt, of good quality, and free from particles of stone. It must be delivered in a bushel or 8-bushel measure filled with a shovel, mamoty, or basket, the lime being dropped from a height of at least 6 in. above the measure, each bushel of lime must weigh 42 lb., exclusive of the tare of basket or other receptacle in which weighed.

Boiled lime must be of the best quality, each bushel to weigh 92 lb., exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

White clay must weigh 83 lb. to the bushel, exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

Coral stones must weigh 65 lb. to the bushel, exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

3. 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.

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Lime, Railway Department," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

7. The maximum quantity of lime, white clay, and coral stones that can be supplied weekly should be stated on the tenders.

8. 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.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6.

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

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

12. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

15. 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.

16. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

18. 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.

General Manager's Office, D. McMILLAN,
Colombo, May 28, 1919. Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of cadjans and bamboos to the Railway Department from persons willing to contract for supply of same for the use of the railway from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920, as may be required, viz. :—

Cadjans, best, each not less than 6 feet long.

Bamboos, large, straight, well seasoned, and free from defects, each 30 feet long, not less than 3½ in. diameter at the butt.

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. Tender should be marked "Tender for Cadjans and Bamboos to the Railway Department" in the left hand

corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 15 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.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 50. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

15. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

17. 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.

General Manager's Office, D. McMILLAN,
Colombo, May 28, 1919. Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the under-mentioned salvage materials from persons willing to buy same from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920 :—

(a) 40-gallon barrels with both heads intact.

(b) 40-gallon barrels with one head only.

Approximate quantities expected to be available monthly are :—

(a) Fifty.

(b) Twenty.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the purchase of Empty Barrels" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail

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

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

8. Tenderers are requested to inspect the barrels before tendering, which can be seen on application at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper.

9. Payment must be made within three days, and the barrels must be removed within one week from the date of notification that they are available.

10. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 50. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

13. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

15. 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.

16. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

18. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 28, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Lower and Central Districts of the Railway from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1919 to September 30, 1920, to be delivered at any place within the gravets of Colombo, as required by the Railway Department and to be as per under-mentioned specifications, viz. :—

Standard Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape to standard sample, which may be seen at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper.

Engineer Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2 in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape to standard sample, which may be seen at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper.

The following is a *pro forma* estimate of the requirements for the financial year 1919-20.

Standard bricks as above 2,000,000 to be delivered at the rate of 50,000 per week, if on order.

Engineer bricks as above 100,000 to be delivered at the rate of 25,000 per week, if on order.

The Department does not in any way guarantee that the number shown as required is even an approximate estimate, and tenderers must take all risks of total quantity actually required and the quantity of orders they may receive.

Each tender must specify the rates per 1,000, and contain an undertaking to supply bricks up to the standard of samples inspected.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Bricks to the Lower and Central Districts of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, 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. The amount of security required will be Rs. 750. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

10. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

13. 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.

14. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

16. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 28, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Upper District of the Railway from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920, to be delivered at any railway station above Kadugannawa, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape.

The quantity of bricks required will probably be about 10,000 a week, but no guarantee will be given as to quantity to be taken. Each tender must specify the minimum number it is prepared to supply, and at what station the bricks are to be supplied.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, and samples of same must be forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway.

Where a kiln is close to the Railway, the tenderer should give a rate for the bricks delivered and stacked alongside the line.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Bricks to the Upper District of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, July 1, 1919.

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

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

7. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

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

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.

13. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

15. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of petrol to the Railway Department for the period of twelve months from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Petrol to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, July 1, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender

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

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract. The successful tenderer must lodge a cash security of Rs. 1,000.

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

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

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

11. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

12. The quantity of petrol to be supplied during the above-mentioned year shall be in accordance with one of the following conditions, viz. :—

- (a) Not less than 40,000 gallons or more than 70,000 gallons, at the discretion of the General Manager of the Railway.
- (b) 40,000 gallons, 15 per cent. more or less, at the discretion of the General Manager. The contractor to undertake to increase this quantity on not less than four months' notice in writing from the General Manager of the Railway.

13. Tenderers must specify the commercial name of the petrol tendered for, and must deposit with the General Manager of the Railway a sample consisting of not less than four gallons in a securely sealed receptacle. Should any tender be accepted, the afore-mentioned sample in connection therewith shall be submitted to the Government Analyst for the purpose of analysis, and the balance remaining shall be re-sealed and retained by the General Manager of the Railway as the standard sample for the purpose of the contract.

14. Tenderers should state in the tender forms separate prices per gallon for delivery to the General Manager of the Railway under the following conditions, viz. :—

- (a) Delivery over ship's side in Colombo harbour.
- (b) Delivery at the contractor's store.
- (c) Delivery at the Railway Stores as defined in paragraph 15 below.

In the case of (a) a Customs Clearance Certificate will be passed by the General Manager of the Railway and consequently the rate tendered must be exclusive of import duty. Rates tendered for (b) and (c) must include import duty.

15. The successful tenderer (hereinafter called "the contractors") shall undertake to provide at least six shipments of petrol during the continuance of the contract, whereby sufficient petrol may be delivered to the General Manager of the Railway over ship's side in Colombo harbour to enable the Railway petrol store to be kept properly stocked; and should the contractors fail to carry out this undertaking, they shall supply sufficient petrol from their own store as will enable the Railway petrol store to be kept properly stocked.

16. The petrol shall be delivered either in substantially constructed steel drums, or in hermetically sealed tins securely packed in strongly constructed wooden cases. In either case the receptacles must be so constructed and secured as to prevent any possibility of leakage or damage during transport by train, and the contractors must satisfy the General Manager of the Railway that they are so constructed and secured. The tenderers shall specify on the tender form whether they require the empty receptacles to be returned.

17. The General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to issue petrol to other Government Departments from stocks supplied by the contractors under the conditions of the contract.

18. The contractor shall not assign or transfer the contract or any interest therein without the permission in writing of the General Manager of the Railway.

19. The price per gallon paid by the General Manager of the Railway shall include cost, insurance, and freight, and all other expenses up to delivery either over ship's side *ex* contractor's store or at the Railway Stores, as the case may be, as defined in clause 15 above, and it shall also include the use of the receptacles in which the petrol is delivered. Should the contractors specify that the empty receptacles are to be returned to them, the General Manager of the Railway will undertake that they shall not be used for any other purpose, and that they will be returned as promptly as possible to the contractor.

20. Payments for the petrol will be made within 14 days of delivery.

21. If any of the petrol supplied is objected to by the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent or the Railway Storekeeper as not being of the quality contracted for, or as being inferior in quality to the standard sample, and if such objection be confirmed by the Government Analyst at the expense of the contractors, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to deduct from the price of such petrol such sums as he may consider justifiable by reason of the inferior quality of the petrol, or he may reject such petrol. Whenever any petrol is so rejected, the contractors shall, at their own cost and expense, forthwith remove such rejected petrol, and pending such removal the petrol shall remain and be at the risk of the contractors, and the contractors shall, in addition to any other penalty, be liable to refund to the General Manager of the Railway the cost incurred in the handling of such rejected petrol, and the amount of the cost so incurred, when certified under the hand of the General Manager of the Railway, shall be deemed final and conclusive for the purpose of such refund.

22. Subject to the provisions of clause 25 below, if the contractors shall at any time fail to supply the petrol ordered or should any petrol supplied be rejected as provided for in clause 21 and be not promptly replaced by the contractors with petrol of an acceptable quality, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to purchase elsewhere, at whatever price he may deem fit, such quantity of petrol as the contractors may have failed to supply; and should the petrol so purchased by the General Manager of the Railway cost more than the price agreed upon in the contract, the contractors shall be liable to pay the General Manager of the Railway the full amount of such excess cost, together with all expenses attending the purchase and procuring of the same.

23. Any payments for which the contractors may be liable under the conditions of clauses 21 and 22 shall be deducted by the General Manager of the Railway from any moneys which may be due to the contractors under the contract, provided that nothing in the contract shall effect the General Manager of the Railway's right to recover such payments by action at law.

24. Subject to the provisions of clause 25 below, if the contractors fail to supply petrol on the conditions laid down in this notice or in the contract, or shall supply petrol inferior in quality to the standard sample, or shall commit a breach of any of the covenants on the contractors' part to be observed and performed, then and in any of the said cases the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty, by notice in writing, to forthwith determine the contract, and thereupon the contractors shall be liable to pay to the General Manager of the Railway all cost and expenses incurred by reason of such failure to supply petrol or by the supplying of petrol of inferior quality or by such breach of covenant, and shall in addition be liable to forfeit the sum of Rs. 1,000, which must be deposited by the contractors as security for the due performance of the terms of the contract.

25. Should tenders desire to claim exemption from any penalties laid down in this notice on the grounds of exceptional and unforeseen difficulties, such as the act of God, &c., they must specify fully on the tender form the conditions under which they propose to claim exemption.

26. The decision of the General Manager of the Railway as to whether the contractors have been guilty of any

breach of the covenants and conditions on the part of the contractors to be done, observed, and performed, and upon all questions arising out of or incidental to the contract, shall be deemed final and conclusive, and the contractors shall be bound thereby.

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

28. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks on the Northern Line of the Railway from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920, to be delivered at any railway station between Kurunegala and Kankasanturai, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size $8\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $2\frac{3}{4}$ in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, stating clearly the minimum number of bricks which will be supplied weekly if on order. Samples of same must be forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Bricks on the Northern Line of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, July 1, 1919.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

13. 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.

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

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

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

16. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1919.

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the lease of trees on the grounds attached to the Mahara Jail and described in the schedule hereunder from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1921.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Lease of Trees, Mahara Jail Grounds," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons not later than midday on July 2, 1919.

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

5. A cash deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made at the Treasury or at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, 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 completion of the contract.

6. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security of Rs. 50, and to sign the bond on approved form for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security. A copy of the bond may be obtained for perusal at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons.

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

8. 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.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, or to the Superintendent of the Mahara Jail.

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

Schedule referred to.

All those 283 coconut trees, 40 arecanut trees, 18 jak trees, 15 mango trees, and 3 tamarind trees, more or less (exclusive of the trees standing on the compounds of the Superintendent, Jailer, and Medical Officer), standing on the grounds attached to the Mahara Jail, which said grounds consist of—

(1) All that ground attached to the jail at Mahara, situated between the quarry back and Mahawatta and garden belonging to Banchi Appu and between the stream and Mahawatta, including the mound on which the dynamite and gunpowder magazine is built; and

(2) All that land between the road leading from the jail at Mahara and the property of J. Abeyesinghe bordering the paddy fields in the Adikari pattuwa of the Siyane korale west, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by the land belonging to J. D. Baronchi, on the east by low ground, on the south by the high road, and on the west by the land said to belong to J. Abeyesinghe.

Both lands containing in extent about 5½ acres, more or less.

TENDERS are invited for the lease for one year from date of acceptance of the tender of all the coconut trees (300 in number more or less) in bearing and standing on Government Dairy land situated in the village Narahenpita, in Palle pattuwa of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Superintendent, Government Dairy, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the Superintendent, Government Dairy, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Lease of Coconut Trees" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Superintendent, Government Dairy, not later than midday on Saturday, June 14, 1919.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 10 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 deposits 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. The amount of security required will be a month's rent in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

9. The contract is on no account to be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Superintendent, Government Dairy.

10. One month's notice on either side to terminate lease before day of expiry.

11. The Superintendent, Government Dairy, has the right to cut down trees, whenever necessary, without compensation, but will grant a proportionate reduction in rental.

12. The trees cannot be tapped for toddy or sublet by tenderer.

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

14. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

15. 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.

16. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the Superintendent, Government Dairy, or persons delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

17. 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.

G. W. STURGES,
Superintendent, Government Dairy.
Office of the Superintendent, Government Dairy,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for purchasing Bats' Dung Manure at the Salt Stores at Puttalam and Kalpitiya," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent of Puttalam up to 1 P.M. on June 23, 1919, from persons willing to contract.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:—
1. They should specify the rate per cwt. for purchasing the bats' dung manure for three years, commencing from September 25, 1919.

2. The tenderer must take delivery of the manure monthly, as soon as he is noticed, and in case of failure to remove within one week, he will be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, to be imposed at the discretion of the Assistant Government Agent. The probable quantity of manure available per annum is 80 cwt.

3. Each tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 5 in the Kachcheri before tendering. No tender will receive any consideration where no such deposit has been made. This deposit will be confiscated if the tenderer is not prepared to enter into contract, or is unable to furnish certified security in Rs. 100, for the due fulfilment of the contract.

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

5. A letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract, should accompany the tender.

6. Every alteration in the rates of tender should be initialled by the tenderer.

7. The tenderers should be present in the Kachcheri on the day of opening of tenders, so that they or any of them may be spoken to, if it is found necessary to do so.

8. Further information can be obtained from the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri, S. M. P. VANDERKOEK,
May 28, 1919. for Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sleepers and scantlings during 1918-19, to be completed as specified in the note under the schedule annexed below. The area to be exploited for the supplies and further details are given in the schedule.

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 Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sleeper and Scantling Supply, 1918-19, Colombo Division," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 17, 1919.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Ratnapura. 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. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5. A further security in cash of 5 per cent. of the value of contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond.

9. Separate rates per sleeper, broad gauge and narrow gauge, and also rate per cubic foot of scantlings, must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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

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

12. Contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board previously obtained.

13. The 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.

14. Further, the contractor shall not employ any person whose name is on the list of defaulting contractors, nor any person whom the Assistant Conservator, for reason which appear to him sufficient, objects to after giving due notice in writing.

15. For any further information and for inspection of draft contract, application should be made to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, Ratnapura.

General Conditions.

(1) Trees are to be felled within 6 inches from the ground by saw or axe and saw combined.

(2) Only such trees as are stamped and marked by the Forest Ranger are to be felled, and no sound trees below 4 ft. 6 in. in girth will be marked or should be felled.

(3) All suitable dead and hollow trees and branchwood within the forest such as are marked by the Forest Officer, though below 4 ft. 6 in. in girth, should, in addition to all matured sound trees marked by him, be utilized for conversion into sleepers and scantlings or scantlings alone, as may be directed. Contractors should understand that only such portions of trees as cannot be converted into sleepers may be sawn into scantlings.

(4) Parts of logs attacked by fungus or defective parts of logs are not to be sawn into sleepers or scantlings. The sleepers and scantlings should be sawn from sound matured wood, free from shakes, cracks, sapwood, and large or loose knots.

(5) Broad gauge sleepers are to be 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., and narrow gauge sleepers 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. or 5 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. The sizes of scantlings to be sawn are:—

in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
4½	by 2	7	by 2½	9	by 4
4½	by 3	7	by 3	10	by 2½
5	by 4	8	by 4	10	by 3
6	by 3	9	by 2½	11	by 2½
6	by 4	9	by 3	11	by 3

(6) Sleepers and scantlings should be rectangular in form, and sawn perfectly parallel, on all sides. On no account will squaring of logs, sleepers, or scantlings with an adze or axe be allowed.

(7) Sleepers and scantlings should be covered with sawdust or immersed in water, and be invariably placed under shade immediately they are sawn, until they can be transported to delivery depots, where they should be stacked and kept under shade in the manner to be pointed out by the Forest Ranger.

(8) Rejected sleepers or scantlings will not be paid for, and they will lapse to Government, as well as all refuse wood in the sleeper operations. The contractor shall have no claim in respect of any material sold as rejections.

(9) The contractor may be paid a proportionate rate for sleepers and scantlings sawn, but not removed to delivery depots, in cases when it shall be deemed expedient to do so by the Conservator of Forest up to August 15, 1919.

(10) Payments may be made for sleepers and scantlings accepted by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, at delivery depots.

Schedule.

To fell all the stamped yakahalu (red dun) trees, 4 ft. and over in girth, standing in a block of forest called Ratmalawinne in Kadawata korale; and bounded on the north by the Gansabhawa road to Habarabage and private lands, east by fields and chenas, south by Wewatenne estate, and west by Dainpitakele; and to convert the trees felled into 2,500 broad gauge sleepers and 700 narrow gauge sleepers (more or less) and incidental scantlings, and to transport the sleepers and scantlings to Opanake Railway Station, and to deliver stacked as may be directed. Distance of transport is about 13½ miles.

Note.—Felling operations are to be completed practically by end of August, 1919. Not less than 75 per cent. of the sleepers should have been sawn by August 15, 1919, and the full number by end of August, 1919. By end of July, 1919, 10 per cent. of the sleepers should have been transported to the delivery depots, 50 per cent. by end of August, and the full number on the contract by September 15, 1919.

Office of the Conservator of Forests, J. D. SARGENT,
Kandy, May 29, 1919. Acting Conservator of Forests.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned supplies of firewood to the Railway Department from the Jaffna Division during 1919-20. The work is to commence by not later than July 10, 1919, and to be completed by July 15, 1920, in the case of Service A, and August 15, 1920, in the case of Service B. Details of the work and the areas to be exploited are given in the schedule below.

2. A separate tender should be submitted for each service in the schedule.

3. 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.

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Jaffna Division Railway Firewood, 1919-20," for Service A or B, as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

6. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office of the Jaffna Division. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialed; otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

7. A deposit of Rs. 20 for each service will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into a contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

8. Contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board previously obtained, nor shall the contractor issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the list of defaulting contractors, or any person whom the Assistant Conservator of Forests, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects to after giving due notice in writing.

9. 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.

10. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6. A further security in cash of 5 per cent. of the value of the contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond.

11. Tenderers should read and note a draft contract in respect of each service which is available in the Forest Office, Jaffna, before they obtain tender forms.

12. Rates should be quoted as follows, written both in words and figures:—

Firewood, per cubic yard; sleepers, per broad gauge; sleepers, per narrow gauge; scantlings, per cubic foot; satinwood, in the log, per cubic foot; ebony, per ton; outside slabs, per ton.

Rejections will not be paid for, and the contractor shall have no claim in respect of any material sold as rejections.

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

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

15. For any further information and for inspection of draft contracts application should be made to the Assistant Conservator of Forests of the Jaffna Division.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK, &C., ON SERVICES A AND B.

Firewood.

(a) Trees must be cut 6 in. from the ground.

(b) The firewood shall be in lengths of 3 ft. and not less than 2 in. in diameter. Billets over 9 in. in diameter shall

be split. Wood over 12 in. in girth to be billeted in 3 ft. lengths by hand saw or cross-cut saw only.

(c) Stacks must be in rows convenient for loading the firewood into Railway trucks. To economize ground space and to allow of space between the stacks for inspection, stacks shall be either 3 ft. or 4½ or 6 ft. in height as the Forest Officer in charge may from time to time direct.

(d) Any tree pointed by a Forest Officer as not to be felled shall not be felled or injured.

(e) The contractor will be responsible for the safety of firewood stacked on the Railway line.

(f) The contractor may be required at times to increase supplies should the Railway requirements necessitate, and at times also to decrease supplies, but the average output will be as described in the schedule.

(g) It must be clearly understood that for failure to have full weekly supplies ready as required a penalty of Rs. 10, plus 25 cents for every yard short will be levied.

Sleepers, Scantlings, and Logs, &c.

(a) All trees must be felled with saw or axe and saw combined, 6 in. from the ground, and are to be logged by the saw into logs of the longest available lengths, and both ends squared by the saw with the least amount of wastage. Satinwood logs should be barked.

(b) All sound trees over 3 ft. 6 in. in girth of palai, milla, satinwood, and other species, which may be accepted for sleepers sufficiently large for conversion, are to be sawn into sleepers or scantlings or scantlings alone as may be directed. Broad gauge sleepers should be sawn in preference to narrow gauge sleepers. Contractor should understand only such portions of trees as cannot be converted into sleepers may be sawn into scantlings.

(c) Parts of logs attacked by fungus or defective parts of logs are not to be sawn into sleepers or scantlings. The sleepers and scantlings should be sawn from sound matured wood free from shakes, sapwood, and large or loose knots.

(d) Broad gauge sleepers are to be 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., and narrow gauge sleepers 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. or 5 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in.

The sizes of scantlings to be sawn are:—

Lengths: 10 ft., 15 ft., and 20 ft.

Sizes, i.e., cross sections:

4½ in. by 2 in.	7 in. by 2½ in.	9 in. by 4 in.
4½ in. by 3 in.	7 in. by 3 in.	10 in. by 2½ in.
5 in. by 4 in.	8 in. by 4 in.	10 in. by 3 in.
6 in. by 3 in.	9 in. by 2½ in.	11 in. by 2½ in.
6 in. by 4 in.	9 in. by 3 in.	11 in. by 3 in.

or of such dimensions as may be directed.

(e) Sleepers and scantlings should be perfectly rectangular in form, and sawn perfectly parallel on all sides. On no account will squaring of logs, sleepers, or scantlings with an adze or axe be allowed.

(f) Sleepers and scantlings should be covered with saw dust or immersed in water, and be invariably placed under shade immediately they are sawn until they can be transported to delivery depôts, where they should be stacked and kept under shade in the manner to be pointed out by a Forest Ranger.

(g) No ebony trees of small size which are not likely to have any black heart wood, in the opinion of the Forest Officer and are not marked by a Forest Officer, are to be felled.

SCHEDULE.

Service A, near Irambaikulam.

(a) To fell every tree above 6 in. in girth (excepting halmilla, ranai, margosa, and other trees marked for the purpose) standing in a block of forest near Irambaikulam, which will be demarcated by 3 ft. lines, to a maximum depth of 1½ miles, commencing from the boundary of a 5-chain reservation to the west of the Northern Railway on a frontage of not more than 20 chains along the railway line side. The work will be required to commence at the further end from the Railway line, the nearer end of the block being reserved for supplies in the wet season.

To cut and split into firewood every tree so felled (excepting enumerated trees) and every other fallen tree whatsoever in this area with the least amount of wastage, so as to yield 15,000 cubic yards of firewood. All firewood immediately after conversion to be delivered stacked at the Northern

Railway line at the minimum rate of 1,250 cubic yards per month; distance of transport being 2 miles. Final delivery to be made on or before July 15, 1920, when the balance, if any, out of the total should be delivered stacked.

(b) To supply sleepers and scantlings from palai, milla, satinwood, and other suitable species at Vavuniya Railway Station from the same area.

(c) To supply all satinwood logs found to be flowered at the Vavuniya Railway Station from the same area.

(d) To supply cleaned ebony at Vavuniya Station from the same area.

(e) If required to supply the outside slabs resulting from the conversion of sleepers and scantlings at Vavuniya Station from that forest, and to weigh and deliver the same.

(f) Supplies of sleepers, scantlings, logs, and outside slabs to be completed by July 15, 1920. Distance of transport from the working area to the Vavuniya Railway Station is not exceeding 12 miles.

(g) All straight, sound palai, milla, and satinwood trees below 3 ft. 6 in. in girth and marked by a Forest Officer shall not be felled.

Service B, near Vavuniya.

(a) To clear fell all trees (excepting ebony or other species marked by a Forest Officer) standing in the block of the forest, 175 acres in extent more or less, situated in Tonigala reserve. Area selected is situated within 1½ miles from the Northern Railway line.

To cut and split into firewood every tree so felled (excepting the enumerated trees) and every other fallen tree whatsoever in the area, so as to yield 12,000 cubic yards of firewood with the least amount of wastage. All firewood immediately after conversion to be delivered stacked along Northern Railway line at the minimum rate of 1,200 cubic yards of firewood per month. Final delivery to be made

on or before July 15, 1920, when the balance remaining out of the total quantity should be delivered stacked. All felling and splitting of logs should be completed by June 10, 1920.

To cut all thorns and undergrowth in the area, to heap the same together with all wood refuse in the centre of the area separated from the reservation on either sides by properly cleared lines half a chain in breadth. This work to be completed by July 15, 1920.

To complete the burning of the refuse thus heaped by August 15, 1920. To root out and completely clear of green growth all patches not burnt over, and to leave the whole area in a state of complete fitness throughout for planting by August 15, 1920.

(b) To supply sleepers and scantlings from palai, milla, satinwood, and other suitable species at Vavuniya Railway Station from the same area.

(c) To supply all satinwood logs found to be flowered at Vavuniya Railway Station from the same area.

(d) To supply cleaned ebony at Vavuniya Station from the same area.

(e) If required to supply the outside slabs resulting from the conversion of sleepers and scantlings at Vavuniya Station from the same area, and weigh and deliver the same.

(f) To supply all satinwood logs over 2 ft. in girth and below the sleeper size at Vavuniya Station from the same area.

(g) Supplies of sleepers, scantlings, logs, and outside slabs to be completed by July 15, 1920. Distance of transport from the forest to the Vavuniya Railway Station is not exceeding 4 miles.

J. D. SARGENT,

Acting Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, June 2, 1919.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following old materials belonging to the Public Works Department will be sold by public auction at 9 A.M. on Monday, June 30, 1919, at the Public Works Department yard, Puttalam:

16 door sashes (old)	4 gate posts (broken)
28 window sashes (old)	2 pieces of a mould (wooden)
8 Climax springs	1 carpenter's wheel for carving woodwork
7 unserviceable iron locks	143 ft. 3 in. guttering (old)
18 brackets for gutter (old)	80 ft. down pipes
16 cistern heads (old)	
12 angles for guttering (old)	

Public Works Office,
Colombo, May 28, 1919.

R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,
for Director of Public Works.

WILL be sold by public auction at the Prince of Wales's Jetty, H. M. Customs, Wharf, on Wednesday, June 11, 1919, at 12 noon, 58 barrels of cement (slightly damaged) and 14 barrels of cement sweepings.

J. GIBB,
Colonial Storekeeper,
Colombo, May 31, 1919.

LIST of unclaimed articles found in postal packets received at the Returned Letter Office during the

4th quarter ended December 31, 1918, to be sold by public auction at the General Post Office, on Friday, June 13, 1919, at 2.30 P.M.:

Best referred to.

1 silk sarong cloth	1 razor, 1 towel, 2 shirts,
1 linen banian	2 pieces cloth, 1 cotton
1 bottle Harlene (hair oil)	blanket
3 pieces planks	1 packet tea
1 copy Tamil New Testament with psalms	2 sets knitting needles
1 shirt and 3 school books	1 watch
1 piece soap, 1 piece ribbon, and piece lace	4 handkerchiefs
1 stylographic fountain pen	2 sample tins, paint
1 lot sample rubber	1 lot note books
4 rubber pads	1 book Historicity of Christ
2 handkerchiefs	1 infant's lace cap
1 packet developing paper	1 lot tea samples
1 lot iron washers	1 lot picture post cards
1 packet tea	1 lot samples
1 silver brooch	1 lot sundries
1 piece chintz and 1 piece silk	1 lot magazines
	1 lot paper bags
	1 lot illustrated papers

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, May 29, 1919.

F. J. SMITH,
Postmaster-General.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended May 31, 1919.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 78 (2 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 47 Sinhalese, 8 Tamils, 13 Moors, and 2 Malays). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1919, viz., 281,169) was 14.5, as against 20.0 in the preceding week, 18.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 21.5 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 211 (4 Burghers, 135 Sinhalese, 37 Tamils, 28 Moors, 3 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 39.1, as against 27.4 in the previous week, 18.6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 26.7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 211 total deaths, 38 were of infants under one year of age, as against 31 in the preceding week, 30 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 30 the average for last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 2.

Principal Causes of Death.—Fifty-two deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 29 in Maradana (including 13 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 7 in Kotahena, 4 in St. Paul's, 3 in New Bazaar, 3 in Kollupitiya, 3 in Wellawatta, 2 in Slave Island, and 1 in Pettah, as against 29, 24, 31, and 19, respectively, for the four preceding weeks. The weekly average for last year was 27. Thirty deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 7 in St. Paul's, 5 in Kotahena, 5 in Maradana, 4 in New Bazaar, 3 in San Sebastian, 3 in Wellawatta, 2 in Slave Island, and 1 in Pettah, as against 22, 21, 8, and 12, respectively, for the four preceding weeks.

2. Seventeen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 5 in Kotahena, 4 in Maradana, 3 in New Bazaar, 2 in Slave Island, 1 in St. Paul's, 1 in Kollupitiya, and 1 in Wellawatta, as against 9 in the preceding week and 13 the weekly average for last year.

3. Two deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 1 in Kotahena and 1 in Slave Island, as against 3 in the previous week and 4 the weekly average for last year.

4. Fifteen deaths were registered from *Debility*, 9 from *Enteritis*, 9 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 6 from *Worms*, 3 from *Diarrhoea*, 3 from *Dysentery*, and 65 from *Other Causes*.

5. Six cases of *Chickenpox* and 4 of *Measles* were reported during the week, as against 11 and 3, respectively, in the preceding week. One case of *Smallpox* was reported, same as in the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82.4°, against 82.7° in the preceding week and 82.2° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.867 in., against 29.885 in. in the preceding week and 29.885 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 4.07 in., against 1.06 in. in the preceding week and 0.01 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 4, 1919.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Importation of Rice into the Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended May 31, 1919.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Calcutta	20,649
Do.	Rangoon	43,924
	Total	64,573

87 bags of rice were shipped during the week.

H. M. Customs, R. O. DE SARAM,
Colombo, June 4, 1919. for Principal Collector.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Mulleriyawa north in Hewagam korale of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The area bounded on the north by the village boundary of Kelanimulla, west by the village boundary of Kelanimulla, east by Nakkawels, and south by Mahawela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, JAS. D. PHILLIPS,
Colombo, May 28, 1919. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the estate known as Dambughalanda estate, in Siyane korale east of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The area bounded on the north, south, and east by Lunuganwela, and west by Putupagala village and Lunuganwela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, JAS. D. PHILLIPS,
Colombo, May 30, 1919. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the land called Gorakagahawatta at Wattala, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The area bounded on the north by land belonging to Abeysekera Wannaku Arachchige Don Peduru Appu, east by high road from Colombo to Negombo, south by land belonging to K. Abraham Perera, and west by a paddy field forming part of Gorakagahawatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, JAS. D. PHILLIPS,
Colombo, May 30, 1919. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 13, 1919, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,002 of March 21, 1919, the villages known as Kamburugalla and Pannila, in Siyane korale east of the Western Province, were proclaimed as infected areas in terms of sub-sections

(1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said areas, they are now declared free from rinderpest and to be no longer infected areas.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, JAS. D. PHILLIPS,
Colombo, May 30, 1919. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Kudabutgomuwa, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The area bounded on the south by the Public Works Department Avissawella road, north by land belonging to D. D. S. Goonesekere, east by the District Road Committee, Kohilawatta road, and west by land belonging to Elias Perera.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, JAS. D. PHILLIPS,
Colombo, May 30, 1919. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 139, situated at Dematagoda road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from May 27, 1919.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, May 28, 1919. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 5, situated at Vincent street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from May 30, 1919.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, May 30, 1919. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated February 19, 1919, published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,998 of February 28, 1919, Darawala, Kuda-oya, and Dunbar estates, and Maskeliya town in Uda Bulatgama, in the district of Kandy, Central Province, were declared infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said estates and town: I do hereby declare them to be free from rinderpest and no longer infected areas.

This declaration is to take effect from date hereof.

Kandy Kachcheri, C. S. VAUGHAN,
May 27, 1919. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated February 21, 1919, published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,998 of February 28, 1919, Kotiyagala bazaar in Uda Bulātāgama, in the District of Kandy, Central Province, was declared infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said bazaar, I do hereby declare it to be free from rinderpest and no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from date hereof.

Kandy Kachcheri,
May 27, 1919.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Madacumbura estate, in the Kotmale division of the Nuwara Eliya District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The area bounded on the north by the limits of Kumbaloluwa village as far as the 40th milepost; south, a straight line running due east and west across the road leading to Watagoda Station and the 47th milepost; west, the whole of Madacumbura estate lying to the west of Pundaluoya-

Watagoda road and from the northern limit of the estate all along the remainder of the road to a distance of 400 yards up to the 40th milepost; east, 400 yards deep all the way from the 40th to the 47th milepost along the Pundaluoya-Watagoda road.

This declaration is to take effect from May 26, 1919.

The Kachcheri, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Nuwara Eliya, May 28, 1919. Assistant Government Agent.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the Matara District of the Southern Province, I do hereby declare, in terms of the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said District of Matara, the boundaries of which are given below, is an infected area. This declaration shall take effect from May 27, 1919.

Boundaries.

North: Galle District and the Province of Sabaragamuwa.
South: The sea.
East: Hambantōta District.
West: The Galle District.

Matara Kachcheri,
May 27, 1919.

T. REID,
Assistant Government Agent.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Notice of Sale of Toddy Rents, Matara District, 1919-20**

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, till 10 A.M. of June 19, 1919, at Dikwella Rest-house, for the privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail in the area specified in the schedule below for the period of twelve months from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920.

Conditions of sale and further particulars can be ascertained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara.

Matara Kachcheri,
May 30, 1919.

T. REID,
Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Division.	Locality or Range. Within the village of—
9	Wellaboda pattu	Parawahera

Election of an Unofficial Member, Advisory Committee, Batticaloa.

NOTICE is hereby given that under rule 3 (iv.) of the rules laid down in Chapter IV. of Excise Notification No. 85 of February 12, 1919, every person intending to offer himself as a candidate for election by the tax-paying inhabitants as an Unofficial Member of the Advisory Committee of the Batticaloa Revenue District Area, for the period beginning July 1, 1919, to September 30, 1921, is hereby required to signify his intention accordingly by forwarding a nomination paper in the prescribed form duly signed by two other tax-paying inhabitants as proposer and seconder.

2. No person shall be eligible for election as a member of the Advisory Committee unless he is a tax-paying inhabitant, and is able to read and write the English language.

3. The nomination paper should reach the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa District, not later than midday of June 15, 1919, on which day, at 2 P.M. in the afternoon, the examination of the nomination papers will be proceeded with.

Batticaloa Kachcheri,
May 28, 1919.

C. E. DE PINTO,
for Government Agent.

SALES OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent for the Southern Province will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the under-mentioned Toll Rent of the Southern Province from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for Toll Rents," will be received at the Galle Kachcheri until 2 P.M. on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, when they will be opened, and all persons making tender will be required to be present, or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is *bona fide*. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders, and of selling the rent by public auction on the same day if no satisfactory tender is received.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to the Governor will be required to deposit at once one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash; and should the tender be accepted by His Excellency the Governor, for furnished approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount, or in cash for one-third of the whole purchase amount, within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer.

4. If security be given in cash, the amount deposited on the day of sale shall be allowed to count as part of the four

months' rent which the purchaser has to deposit as security. If, however, security be given in land, the cash deposit shall be retained as security additional to the landed property mortgaged with the Government Agent, and shall be hypothecated with it.

5. He will further be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Counsel for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of the properties tendered by him as security, and for examining and settling the security bond, and the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond.

6. He will be further required to exhibit a red light on both sides of the toll bar visible at a distance of 100 yards.

7. All title deeds tendered as security should be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they relate are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party offering the security. Further information can be obtained on application to the Government Agent.

GOVERNMENT TOLL.

Galle District.—The ferry toll at Halpatota.

Galle Kachcheri,
May 31, 1919.

V. COOMARASWAMY,
for Government Agent.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rates and costs be duly paid.

S. H. WADIA,

Financial Assistant to the
Chairman, Municipal Council.The Municipal Office,
Colombo, May 26, 1919.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Friday, June 20, 1919.

St. Sebastian Hill.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
17-19-47A	3rd quarter, 1918	7
<i>Hulftsdorp street.</i>		
43-134	3rd quarter, 1918	7.5
47-130	Do.	7.10
49-128	Do.	7.15
<i>Belmont street.</i>		
86-21A	3rd quarter, 1918	7.20
87-21A	Do.	7.25
91-27	Do.	7.30
113-44	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1918	7.35
115-46	3rd quarter, 1918	7.40
116-47	Do.	7.45
123-56	Do.	7.50
117-48	Do.	7.55
137-5	Do.	8
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
166-27	3rd quarter, 1918	8.5
183-38/39	Do.	8.10
205-65	Do.	8.15
209-72/73	Do.	8.20
<i>Goat street.</i>		
211-16/17	3rd quarter, 1918	8.25
212-12/15	Do.	8.30
212A-12/14	Do.	8.35
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
218-83	3rd quarter, 1918	8.40
221-86/87	1st quarter, 1917, to 3rd quarter, 1918, and riot damages for 1917	8.45
<i>Smith street.</i>		
224-15	3rd quarter, 1918	8.50
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
227-91	3rd quarter, 1918	8.55
228-92	Do.	9
229-93	Do.	9.5
230-94	Do.	9.10
231-95	Do.	9.15
<i>Ferry street.</i>		
232-1	3rd quarter, 1918	9.20
233-2	Do.	9.25
234-3	Do.	9.30
235-3A	Do.	9.35
236-4	Do.	9.40
249-21/22	Do.	9.45
250-23	Do.	9.50
253-24B	Do.	9.55
254-25	Do.	10

Date of Sale : Saturday, June 21, 1919.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
<i>Ferry street.</i>		
280-282-42B	3rd quarter, 1918 (balance)	7
289-44A	Do.	7.5
290-44	Do.	7.10
<i>Vincent street.</i>		
316-3	3rd quarter, 1918	7.15
<i>Ferry street.</i>		
397-106	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1918	7.20
401-112	3rd quarter, 1918	7.25
405-115	Do.	7.30
<i>Hulftsdorp street.</i>		
406-109	3rd quarter, 1918	7.35
407-108	Do.	7.40
<i>Silversmith lane.</i>		
415-37	3rd quarter, 1918	7.45
434-20	Do.	7.50
435-19	Do.	7.55
436-18	Do.	8
<i>Silversmith street.</i>		
462-97	3rd quarter, 1918	8.5
480-82	Do.	8.10
551-552/29	Do.	8.15
558-559/24	Do.	8.20
560-23	Do.	8.25
570-10	Do.	8.30
579-3	Do.	8.35
580-3A	Do.	8.40
582-1	Do.	8.45
<i>Hulftsdorp street.</i>		
583-99	3rd quarter, 1918	8.50
590-92	Do.	8.55
<i>Messenger street.</i>		
603C-97	3rd quarter, 1918	9
614-120A	Do.	9.5
636-100	Do.	9.10
638-98	Do.	9.15
639A-98	Do.	9.20
640-97	Do.	9.25
641-96	Do.	9.30
647-89	Do.	9.35
648-88	Do.	9.40
651-86	Do.	9.45
672-69	Do.	9.50
673-674A-69	Do.	9.55
676A-66	Do.	10

Date of Sale : Monday, June 23, 1919.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
<i>Messenger street.</i>		
677-66	3rd quarter, 1918	7
702-41	Do.	7.5
708-35A	Do.	7.10
712-32	Do.	7.15
713-31	Do.	7.20
734-9	Do.	7.25
737-6	Do.	7.30
<i>Armour street.</i>		
820-32	3rd quarter, 1918	7.35
<i>Layard's roadway.</i>		
821-5	3rd quarter, 1918	7.40
822-825-135	3rd quarter, 1917, to 3rd quarter, 1918, and riot damages for 1917	7.45
830-132/132A	3rd quarter, 1918	7.50
831-131B	Do.	7.55
846-121	4th quarter, 1916, and 3rd quarter, 1917	8
850-118	3rd quarter, 1918	8.5
851-117	Do.	8.10
856A-143	Do.	8.15
<i>Grandpass road.</i>		
860-69/70	3rd quarter, 1918	8.20
866-63	3rd quarter, 1917, to 3rd quarter, 1918	8.25

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	SCHEDULE.		
		A.M.	Date of Sale : June 26, 1919.		
873-54	3rd quarter, 1918	8.30	<i>Second Division, Maradana.</i>		
882-47	Do.	8.35	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
919-12	Do.	8.40			A.M.
926-5	Do.	8.45	736/191	3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
927-5	Do.	8.50		and riot damages, 1917	7
928-5	Do.	8.55	740A & 741/190	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	7.5
956-184	Do.	9		and riot damages, 1917	7.10
957-184	Do.	9.10	745/188	2nd quarter, 1918	7.10
965-170	Do.	9.15	<i>Dematagoda.</i>		
985-154A	Do.	9.20	748/283	2nd quarter, 1918	7.15
986-154B	Do.	9.25	751/278	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.20
987-154C & D	Do.	9.30	752/278	2nd quarter, 1918	7.25
993-138	Do.	9.35	756/277B	2nd quarter, 1918	7.30
	<i>De Wass street.</i>		758/277A	1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	7.35
1010A-24	3rd quarter, 1918	9.40	759/277A	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
1010B-24	Do.	9.45		and riot damages, 1916 and 1917	7.40
	<i>Grandpass road.</i>		760/276	Do.	7.45
1017-96	3rd quarter, 1918	9.50	760A/276	1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.50
1018A-96	Do.	9.55	763/274	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.55
	<i>De Wass street.</i>		767/270	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8
1020-15A	3rd quarter, 1918	10	772/265	3rd and 4th quarters, 1917	8.5
	Date of Sale : Tuesday, June 24, 1919.		773/266	Do.	8.10
	<i>De Wass street.</i>		774/263	3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.20
1026-6	3rd quarter, 1918	7	775/262A	Do.	8.25
1029.3	Do.	7.5	776/262A	Do.	8.30
	<i>Grandpass road.</i>		782/259&260	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
1034-106	3rd quarter, 1918	7.10		and riot damages, 1917	8.35
1035-105	Do.	7.15	788-791/255-		
1041-1042-95	Do.	7.20	255C	Riot damages, 1917	8.40
1050-80	Do.	7.25	799/254B	3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.45
1051-79	Do.	7.30	801/244A	1st and 2nd quarters, 1918, and riot	
1052-78	Do.	7.35		damages, 1917	8.50
1053-77	Do.	7.40	802/243	Do.	8.55
1055A-75	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1918	7.45	806/250	Do.	9
1055B-75	Do.	7.50	807/249	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.5
	<i>Galkapanawatta.</i>		808/249	Do.	9.10
1056A-100-			827/232D	1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.15
101	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1918	7.55	829/232C	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.20
1056B-100	Do.	8	831/232E	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.25
1059-97	3rd quarter, 1918	8.5	832/232	1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.30
1073-87	Do.	8.10	838/228	2nd quarter, 1918	9.35
1074-86	Do.	8.15	839/227	3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.40
1075-85	Do.	8.20	846/227	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.45
1077-83	Do.	8.25	848/225	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.50
1081-80	Do.	8.30	849/225	Do.	9.55
1083-78A	1st to 3rd quarter, 1918	8.35	850/225	Do.	10
1084-78	3rd quarter, 1918	8.40			
1088-73	Do.	8.45	Date of Sale : June 27, 1919.		
1093-67	Do.	8.50	<i>Dematagoda.</i>		
1095-68	Do.	8.55	866/220A	1st and 2nd quarters, 1918, and riot	
1097-65	Do.	9		damages, 1917	7
1098-66	1st to 3rd quarter, 1918	9.5	867A/220B	3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.5
1099-66	3rd quarter, 1918	9.10	869/220D	4th quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
1103A-60	Do.	9.15		and riot damages, 1917	7.10
1104A-63	Do.	9.20	870B/220B	2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
1106-57/58	Do.	9.25		and riot damages, 1917	7.15
1108A-54	Do.	9.30	875/236B	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
1111B-52	3rd quarter, 1918, and riot damages for 1917	9.35		and riot damages, 1917	7.20
			878/235	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
				and riot damages, 1917	7.25
			879/235	Do.	7.30
			880/235	Do.	7.35
			881/237C	2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918,	
				and riot damages, 1917	7.40
			882/237D	Do.	7.45
			885/237	Do.	7.50
			887/237E	2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.55
			888&889/237E	1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8
			890/237	Do.	8.5
			895/211	3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.10
			895A/2	Do.	8.15
			899/203	3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.20
			900/203	1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	8.25
			906/206A	4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.30
			907/206	3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.35
			908/206	Do.	8.40

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rates and costs be duly paid.

S. H. WADIA,

Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
Municipal Council.
The Municipal Office,
Colombo, May 30, 1919.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
910/199	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.45	1197/77	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.40
913A/198A	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	8.50	1198/76B	.. Do.	7.45
914/198	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	8.55	1205A/72	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	7.50
915/198	.. Do.	9	1206/72	.. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.55
916/198	.. Do.	9.5	1207/71	.. 2nd quarter, 1918 (balance)	8
918/197C	.. 1st quarter, 1914, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	9.10	1209/70	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	8.5
918A/197C	.. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	9.15	1209A/70A	.. 2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.10
919/197A	.. 2nd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918, riot and damages, 1917	9.20	1209B/70C	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	8.15
926/209	.. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	9.25	1211/70D	.. Do.	8.20
951/188	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.30	1211A/70D	.. Do.	8.25
953/186	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.35	1212/70A	.. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.30
954/185	.. Do.	9.40	1213/70A	.. Do.	8.35
961/178	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.45	1214 to 1216/69	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	8.40
962/175	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.50	1220/64	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	8.45
967/176C	.. 1st quarter, 1914, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.55	1244/47	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	8.50
967A/176C	.. 1st quarter, 1914, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	10	1248/53	.. Do.	8.55
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968/176A	.. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7	1270/39	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.5
979/169	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1916 and 1917.	7.5	1293/21C	.. 2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.10
993/164A	.. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	7.10	1295/21D	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	9.15
1006/157	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.15	1309A/4	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.20
1009/153	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	7.20	1311/2A	.. Do.	9.25
1020/147B	.. 3rd quarter, 1908, to 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1916 and 1917	7.25	<i>2nd Division, Maradana.</i>		
1039/142	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	7.30	1312/186	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.30
1066 & 1067/ 128	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.35	1317/185	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.35
1072/128	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	7.40	1332/172	.. Do.	9.40
1075/135	.. 2nd quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	7.45	1337/167 & 168	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	9.45
1077/127A	.. Do.	7.50	1339A/169	.. Do.	9.50
1082/125	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.55	1344/166	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.55
1083/125	.. Do.	8	1345/166A	.. Do.	10
1094/119	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	8.5	Date of Sale: July 1, 1919.		
1095/118	.. Do.	8.10	<i>Maligakanda.</i>		
1096/118	.. Do.	8.15	1354/1	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7
1097/117	.. Do.	8.20	1355/2	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.5
1098/117	.. Do.	8.25	1359/5	.. 4th quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.15
1099/117	.. Do.	8.30	1371/9	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	7.20
1100/117	.. Do.	8.35	1372/10	.. Do.	7.25
1101/117	.. Do.	8.45	1374/11A	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.30
1102/117	.. Do.	8.50	<i>Dematagoda.</i>		
1103/116	.. Do.	8.55	1399/52	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.35
1104/116	.. Do.	9	1402/51A	.. 4th quarter, 1914, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.40
1105/115	.. Do.	9.5	1403/51	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	7.45
1112/113	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.10	1403A/49	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	7.50
1119/108	.. Do.	9.15	<i>Maligakanda.</i>		
<i>Temple road.</i>			1436/26	.. 2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.55
1123/31A	.. 2nd quarter, 1918 (balance), and riot damages, 1917.	9.20	1465/32B	.. 3rd quarter, 1914, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8
1125A/107	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.25	1466/32B	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.5
1135/100	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.30	1495/33A	.. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.10
1137&1138/99	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	9.35	1503	.. 4th quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1918, riot damages, 1916 and 1917	8.15
<i>Dematagoda.</i>			1512/36	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.20
1152/92	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	9.40	1513/35	.. 2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.25
1156/90A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	9.45	1520/55	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.30
1160/90C	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.50	1546/137	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	8.35
1164/90E	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.55	1547/137A	.. Do.	8.40
1165/90G	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	10	1569/42	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1918	8.45
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<i>Dematagoda.</i>			1570A/42	.. Do.	8.55
1166/90N	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7	<i>2nd Division, Maradana.</i>		
1169/90	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.5	1598/130	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	9
1185/83A	.. Do.	7.10	<i>Temple road.</i>		
1187/82C	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.15	1623/7	.. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.5
1189A/8I	.. 2nd quarter, 1918	7.20	<i>Dematagoda.</i>		
1191/72A	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.25	1643A/119	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.10
1192/72A	.. Do.	7.30	<i>Temple road.</i>		
1196/77A	.. 2nd quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	7.35	1655/25D	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 2nd quarter, 1918	9.15
			1656/25	.. Do.	9.20
			1658/26	.. Do.	9.25

Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo on June 4, 1919.

	Per	Wholesale.		Retail.		Per	Wholesale.		Per	Retail.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Paddy, Country ..	Bushel	3	30	Measure	—	—	—	Measure	—	0	12
Paddy, Imported ..	do.	4	0	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	6
Rice, Country ..	do.	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	18
Rice, Kara ..	do.	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	62
Rice, Kallunda ..	do.	10	0	do.	0	30	—	do.	—	0	40
Rice, Sulai ..	do.	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	28
Rice, Muttusamba ..	do.	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	25
Raw Rice (Rangoon) ..	do.	10	50	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	16
Raw Rice (Singapore) ..	do.	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	50
Raw Rice (Batavia) ..	do.	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	0	18
Dholl (Thovaram) ..	—	—	—	Seer	0	45	—	do.	—	0	10
Dholl (Mysore) ..	—	—	—	do.	0	22	—	do.	—	0	32
Green Peas ..	—	—	—	do.	0	30	—	do.	—	0	34
Ulundu ..	—	—	—	do.	0	28	—	do.	—	1	0
Gram ..	—	—	—	do.	0	28	—	do.	—	0	60
Wheat Flour ..	—	—	—	lb.	0	18	—	do.	—	—	—
American Flour ..	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—
Ghee, Cow ..	—	—	—	Seer	5	0	—	do.	—	0	25
Ghee, Buffalo ..	—	—	—	do.	2	50	—	do.	—	—	—
Milk ..	—	—	—	Bottle	0	30	—	do.	—	—	—
Potatoes (Indian) ..	—	—	—	lb.	0	21	—	do.	—	—	—
Potatoes (Bangalore) ..	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—
Onions (Bombay) ..	—	—	—	do.	0	12	—	do.	—	—	—
Onions, Red ..	—	—	—	do.	0	10	—	do.	—	—	—
Bread ..	—	—	—	1-lb. loaf	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—
Tea ..	—	—	—	lb.	1	10	—	do.	—	—	—
Coffee ..	—	—	—	do.	0	62	—	do.	—	—	—
Limes ..	—	—	—	Dozen	0	9	—	do.	—	—	—
Coconuts ..	—	—	—	Each	0	9	—	do.	—	—	—
Sugar, Soft ..	—	—	—	lb.	0	28	—	do.	—	—	—
Sugar, Crepe ..	—	—	—	do.	0	28	—	do.	—	—	—
Sugar (Ceylon) ..	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—
Sugar Candy ..	—	—	—	do.	0	28	—	do.	—	—	—
Sugar, Brown ..	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—	do.	—	—	—
Salt ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Do. ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dried Chillies ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coriander ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pepper ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Garlic ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mustard ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turmeric ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fenugreek ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cumin ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aniseed ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tamarind ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jaggery ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gingelly ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gingelly Oil ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coconut Oil ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kerosine Oil, Day-light ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Matches, Three Stars ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Matches (Japanese) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beef ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mutton ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pork ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chicken ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eggs ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dry Fish, Nettali (Halmessa) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dry Fish (Maldive) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

The Municipal Office, Colombo, June 5, 1919.

S. H. WADIA, Financial Assistant to the Chairman, Municipal Council.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Alawatugoda-Ancoombra Estate Cart Road. (Improvements.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the report of the Local Committee having been received, and an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,445 having been approved for the improvement of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, in accordance with the provisions of sections 24 and 19 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, June 14, 1919, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the proportion due by each of the following estates to make up the contribution:—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Alex. Stevenson (Mackwood & Co., Agents; W. D. Stevenson, Superintendent)	Craingilt	323
Syston Estate Company (George Steuart & Co., Agents; R. de V. Godfrey, Superintendent)	Syston	169
1st to 3rd section, 106 chains or 1 mile and 26 chains. Cost of sections 2 and 3 (1 mile), Rs. 661.50.		
J. A. Macalister (Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Barton	85
1st to 4th section, 146 chains or 1 mile and 66 chains. Cost of section 4 (1/2 mile), Rs. 150.		
Syston Estate Company (George Steuart & Co., Agents; R. de V. Godfrey, Superintendent)	Syston	173
1st to 5th section, 186 chains or 2 miles and 26 chains. Cost of section 5 (1/2 mile), Rs. 2,000.		
H. L. Cameron and B. H. Jenkyns (George Steuart & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Velane	187
Heirs of B. H. Jenkyns (George Steuart & Co., Agents; W. H. L. Cameron, Superintendent)	Wallsend	83
1st to 7th section, 264 chains or 3 miles and 24 chains. Cost of sections 6 and 7 (78 chains), Rs. 633.		
E. H. Wijenayake	Wijenayake's Estate	70

1st to 9th section, 344 chains or 4 miles and 24 chains. Cost of sections 8 and 9 (1 mile), Nil.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Kandyan Hills Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Ltd., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Pansalatenna	219
1st to 15th section, 548 chains or 6 miles and 68 chains. Cost of section 10 to 15 (2 miles and 44 chains), Rs. 1,049.08.		
Kandy Rubber and Tea Estates, Ltd. (Webster Automatic Packeting Factory, Ltd., Agents; H. Orloff Combe, Superintendent)	Ancoombra Group	806
Doolgalla (Ceylon) Rubber Estates, Ltd. (Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents; A. C. Morgan, Superintendent)	Parawatta	384
Mrs. P. B. Nugawela	Nova Zembla	66
Keppitigala Rubber Estates Ltd. (A. Hixon Irving)	Nargolla	182

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN, Kandy, May 26, 1919. Chairman.

Alawatugoda-Ancoombra Estate Cart Road. (Maintenance, 1918-19.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the report of the Local Committee having been received, and an estimate amounting to Rs. 5,958 having been approved for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1919, the Provincial Road Committee, in accordance with the provisions of sections 24 and 19 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, June 14, 1919, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the proportion due by each of the following estates to make up the contribution:—

1st section, 26 chains. Cost, Rs. 282.68.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Alex. Stevenson (Mackwood & Co., Agents; W. D. Stevenson, Superintendent)	Craingilt	323
Syston Estate Co. (George Steuart & Co., Agents; R. de V. Godfrey, Superintendent)	Syston	169
1st and 2nd sections, 106 chains or 1 mile and 26 chains. Cost of section 2 (1 mile), Rs. 869.78.		
J. A. Macalister (Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Barton	85
1st to 3rd section, 146 chains or 1 mile and 66 chains. Cost of section 3 (40 chains), Rs. 434.89.		
Syston Estate Company (George Steuart & Co., Agents; R. de V. Godfrey, Superintendent)	Syston	173
1st to 4th section, 186 chains or 2 miles and 26 chains. Cost of section 4 (40 chains), Rs. 434.89.		
H. L. Cameron and B. H. Jenkyns (George Steuart & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Velane	187
Heirs of B. H. Jenkyns (George Steuart & Co., Agents; W. H. L. Cameron, Superintendent)	Wallsend	83
1st to 5th section, 264 chains or 3 miles and 24 chains. Cost of section 5 (78 chains), Rs. 848.03.		
E. H. Wijenayake	Wijenayake's Estate	70
1st to 6th section, 344 chains or 4 miles and 24 chains. Cost of section 6 (1 mile), Rs. 869.78.		
Kandyan Hills Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Ltd., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Pansalatenna	219
1st to 9th section, 548 chains or 6 miles and 68 chains. Cost of sections 7, 8, and 9 (204 chains or 2 miles and 44 chains), Rs. 2,217.95.		
Kandyan Rubber and Tea Estates Ltd. (Webster Automatic Packeting Factory, Ltd., Agents; H. Orloff Combe, Superintendent)	Ancoombra Group	806
Doalgalla (Ceylon) Rubber Estates Ltd. (Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents; A. C. Morgan, Superintendent)	Parawatta	384
Mrs. P. B. Nugawela	Nova Zembra	66
Veppitigalla Rubber Estates, Ltd. (A. Hixon Irving)	Nargolla	182
And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.		
Provincial Road Committee's Office,		C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, May 26, 1919.		Chairman.

Padiapellella-Ellamulla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Saturday, June 7, 1919, at Ellamulla bungalow, at 11 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

The Local Committee, immediately after the election, will hold a meeting for the following business, viz:—

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- The sections of the road used by these estates;
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1919, amounts to Rs. 1,717.

N.B.—The General Meeting for the election of the Local Committee should consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, May 26, 1919. Chairman.

Barnagalla-Pen-y-lan Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, a meeting of the Local Committee will be held on Wednesday, June 18, 1919, at 9 A.M. at Pen-y-lan.

Business.

- To elect a Chairman in place of Mr. F. R. Bisset.
- To elect members in place of Messrs. F. R. Bisset, M. B. Blount, and W. J. R. Hamilton for the remainder of the term ending November 9, 1920.

Tamaravelly estate, F. R. BISSET,
Dolosbage, May 27, 1919. Chairman, Local Committee.

Duckwari-Ferndale Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Saturday, June 21, 1919, at Ferndale Drill Shed, at 9 A.M.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road.
- The sections of the road used by these estates.
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.
- Any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1919, amounts to Rs. 2,412.

Ferndale estate, ALFRED H. KERR,
Rangala, May 31, 1919. Chairman, Local Committee.

Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road.

REFERRING to the notices dated February 22, 1919, and March 18, 1919, and published in the *Government Gazette* Nos. 6,998 and 6,999 of February 28 and March 7, 1919, 7,002 and 7,003 of March 21 and 28, 1919, respectively, notice is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 17 (1) of the Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have nominated the under-mentioned gentlemen to be the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance in respect of the Bevilla-Digowa estate cart road for the term of two years, namely, from May 21, 1919, to May 21, 1921:—Messrs. Frank Murray (Chairman), (2) D. L. Welikala, (3) A. J. R. de Soysa, and (4) T. A. de S. Wijeyaratna.

Provincial Road Committee, E. RODRIGO,
Ratnapura, May 22, 1919. for Chairman.

Elleerawa-Pinnawala Branch Road and the Extension under the Branch Roads Ordinance.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Friday, June 20, 1919, at 4 P.M., at the Balangoda group office, to report to the Provincial Road Committee as required by section 18 with regard to—

- The sections into which the road is to be divided for construction assessments.
- The sections into which the road is to be divided for upkeep assessments.
- The estates which in their opinion are interested in and will use each section of the road or of any part thereof.
- The cultivated and total acreage of each estate, and whether the estates are to be assessed on the cultivated or total acreage.
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of each estate for the assessment of the private contributions amounting to Rs. 84,197.25 on the estimate for construction of the extension amounting to Rs. 165,547.25.

N.B.—The sections for constructions assessment shall in no case exceed half a mile in length, and the sections for upkeep assessment shall in no case exceed one mile in length, and an estate using any portion of a section shall be assessed for the whole of such section.

Provincial Road Committee, E. RODRIGO,
Ratnapura, May 28, 1919. for Chairman.

MOUNT LAVINIA.			KANDANA.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	16,842 88	Establishment	564 0	Assessment tax	1,772 50
Road tax	9,656 0	Commission	1,500 12	Road tax	846 60
Licenses	3,130 75	Office contingencies	425 0	Licenses	414 50
Rents	1,875 76	Sanitation	4,192 84	Fines	18 50
Fines	637 88	Markets	1,100 78	Loans	2,940 0
Conservancy	2,903 0	Acquisitions	8,768 65		
Miscellaneous	45 66	New works	7,617 50		
		Maintenance	4,317 62	Balance brought forward from 1917	5,992 10
		Loans	1,675 0		
		Miscellaneous	370 19		
Balance brought forward from 1917	35,091 93	Balance on December 31, 1918..	30,531 70	Total	8,335 54
	3,447 6		8,007 29		
Total	38,538 99	Total	38,538 99		
KIRILLAPONE-NUGEGODA.			WATTALA-MABOLA.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	4,838 7	Establishment	164 0	Assessment tax	2,418 46
Road tax	2,081 20	Commission	401 40	Road tax	1,956 50
Licenses	853 50	Office contingencies	130 0	Licenses	1,250 25
Rents	1,706 0	Sanitation	767 69	Rents	17 0
Fines	213 25	Acquisition	223 0	Fines	92 0
Scavenging	86 0	New works	3,670 0	Miscellaneous	2,385 16
Miscellaneous	13 25	Maintenance	3,407 24		
		Loans	1,675 0	Balance brought forward from 1917	8,119 37
		Miscellaneous	75 89		
Balance brought forward from 1917	9,791 27	Balance on December 31, 1918..	10,514 22	Total	1,789 34
	2,598 10		1,875 15		
Total	12,389 37	Total	12,389 37		
EGODA KOLONNAWA.			KOTTE.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	3,451 97	Establishment	143 0	Assessment tax	2,166 76
Road tax	2,699 10	Commission	575 46	Road tax	1,686 90
Licenses	1,125 25	Office contingencies	150 0	Licenses	478 75
Rents	379 0	Sanitation	760 20	Rents	231 0
Fines	293 50	Acquisition	5,338 22	Fines	89 37
Miscellaneous	22 90	Maintenance	432 50	Conservancy	125 0
Loans	800 0	Loans	800 0		
		Miscellaneous	29 17	Balance brought forward from 1917	4,777 78
Balance brought forward from 1917	8,711 72	Balance on December 31, 1918..	8,226 55		
	3,421 11		3,906 28	Total	1,260 50
Total	12,132 83	Total	12,132 83		
WAGA.			WELIKADA-NAWALA.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	318 74	Establishment	12 0	Assessment tax	3,981 48
Road tax	221 10	Commission	53 13	Road tax	2,300 0
Licenses	200 75	Office contingencies	8 0	Licenses	2,271 25
Rents	387 92	Sanitation	58 45	Rents	683 56
Fines	47 50	Markets	51 25	Fines	98 50
Loans	2,650 0	Loans	3,650 0	Conservancy	472 0
		Miscellaneous	9 74	Balance brought forward from 1917	9,866 79
Balance brought forward from 1917	3,776 1	Balance on December 31, 1918..	3,842 57		
	70 98		4 42	Total	17,313 9
Total	3,846 99	Total	3,846 99		
KOSGAMA.			SIDUWA.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	366 60	Establishment	16 0	Assessment tax	905 79
Road tax	247 40	Commission	45 71	Road tax	749 50
Licenses	115 75	Office contingencies	20 0	Licenses	188 75
Rents	6 0	Sanitation	106 15	Rents	158 0
		Miscellaneous	14 75	Fines	25 0
Balance brought forward from 1917	735 75	Balance on December 31, 1918..	202 61	Miscellaneous	50 31
	265 31		798 45	Balance brought forward from 1917	2,057 35
Total	1,001 6	Total	1,001 6		
KELANIYA.			DIWULAPITIYA.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	1,668 55	Establishment	63 0	Assessment tax	576 41
Road tax	1,059 80	Commission	285 10	Road tax	232 0
Licenses	398 0	Office contingencies	60 0	Licenses	106 25
Fines	72 25	Sanitation	791 80	Rents	24 17
Loans	4,649 77	Maintenance	247 0	Fines	47 0
		Loans	6,856 0	Miscellaneous	70 0
		Miscellaneous	19 10	Balance brought forward from 1917	1,055 83
Balance brought forward from 1917	7,848 37	Balance on December 31, 1918..	8,302 0		
	17,963 36		17,509 73	Total	1,498 64
Total	25,811 73	Total	25,811 73		
HOMAGAMA.			WATTALA-MABOLA.		
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Assessment tax	1,831 14	Establishment	58 0	Assessment tax	2,418 46
Road tax	743 20	Commission	247 26	Road tax	1,956 50
Licenses	228 75	Office contingencies	39 0	Licenses	1,250 25
Rents	126 69	Sanitation	199 90	Rents	17 0
Fines	101 0	New works	9,550 0	Fines	92 0
Miscellaneous	67 0	Maintenance	275 0	Miscellaneous	2,385 16
		Loans	1,340 0		
		Miscellaneous	31 61	Balance brought forward from 1917	8,119 37
Balance brought forward from 1917	3,097 78	Balance on December 31, 1918..	11,740 77		
	12,020 87		3,377 88	Total	1,789 34
Total	15,118 65	Total	15,118 65		

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, May 31, 1919.

JAS. D. PHILLIPS,
for Chairman

Sanitary Board of the Kalutara District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 53(3) of Ordinance No. 19 of 1915, that the Sanitary Board of the Kalutara District, after finally approving of the Panadura Improvement Scheme referred to in the notification dated July 2, 1918, and published in the *Government Gazette* of July 12 and 19, 1918, has submitted the scheme for the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

The Kachcheri,
Kalutara, May 15, 1919.

C. V. BRAYNE,
Chairman.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at the Queen's Hotel, Kandy, on Saturday, June 14, 1919, at 12.30 P.M., for the following purposes:—

- To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ending March 31, 1919.
- To elect two Directors.
- To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year.
- To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books will be closed from June 9 to 14, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

NIGEL I. LEE,
Acting Secretary.

Kandy, May 28, 1919.

Jaffna Steam Navigation Company, Limited
(in Liquidation).

IN terms of sub-section 10 of section 107 of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance a General Meeting of the Shareholders, for the purpose of considering the account of the Liquidator, and to resolve the winding up of the affairs of the Company finally, shall be held at the office of the Liquidator, No. 50, Second Cross street, Jaffna, on Friday, at 4.30 P.M., of July 4, 1919.

WM. BRYANT,
Liquidator.

Jaffna, May 30, 1919.

The Neuchatel Estates Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Lloyd's buildings, No. 19, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, June 19, 1919, at 11 A.M., to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution:—

"That the Directors be and they are hereby authorized to pay any interim dividend or interim dividends which they may declare in respect of the current financial year in sterling by means of demand drafts on London with power to the Directors in their absolute discretion to pay any dividend of a less amount than £5 in rupees."

By order of the Board,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, June 6, 1919.

Auction Sale of a Valuable House Property at Messenger Street, Colombo, under Partition Ordinance.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 51,246 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by auction, on Tuesday, July 22, 1919, at the spot, at 5 P.M.:—

All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 73, now bearing No. 106, situated at Messenger street in Colombo, containing in extent 8 square perches.

The said premises will be first put up for sale among the co-owners thereof at the price at which the same has been valued, and if not purchased by any co-owner will immediately thereafter be put up to public auction to the highest bidder.

For further particulars apply to N. D. H. Abdul Cader, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to—

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Commissioner and Auctioneer.

No. 8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of House Property in Alutmawata.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered of record in case No. 47,130 of the D. C., Colombo, against Seyadu Mohideen Magan Abubacker, the defendant therein,

and the order to sell reissued to me in the said case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, June 28, 1919, at 3 P.M., at the spot, the following premises specially and primarily mortgaged with the plaintiff, and declared bound and executable under the decree in the said case, to wit:—

All that allotment of land called Godelewatta, with the buildings thereon, bearing assessment No. 3,122/208A, situated along Alutmawata road, in Kotahena Ward, in the District of Colombo, in extent 20 80/100 square perches.

Further particulars can be had from Messrs. de Vos & Gratian, Proctors for the plaintiff, or from—

G. EMANUEL DABERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

No. 117, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Sena Muna Kana Nana Awanna Thona Adappu Chetty, by his attorney Sena Muna Kana Nana Awanna Thona Krishna Swamy Seruwai of Negombo Plaintiff.

No. 13,099.

Vs.

(1) Warnakulasuriya Charles Govu and wife, (2) Warnakulasooriya Paulukuttige Teresia Fernando, both of Marawila Defendants.

UNDER decree in the above case, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, June 28, 1919, the under-mentioned properties mortgaged, by mortgage bond No. 1,948, dated January 22, 1917, attested by D. L. E. Amarasinghe, Notary Public, to wit:—

At 10 A.M.

1. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all that allotment of land called Diulgahawatta *alias* Gorakagahawatta and of the cadjan thatched house standing thereon, situate at Marawila, in Yatakalan pattu of the Pitigal korale, in extent 2 roods and 35 perches, more or less.

At 10.15 A.M.

2. All that divided portion of the land called Makullagahawatta *alias* Paragahayayekebella, situate at Marawila aforesaid, which said portion is in extent 1 acre and 3 roods, more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. de Silva & Perera, Proctors, Negombo, or to me:

K. L. PEREIRA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, June 3, 1919.

Auction Sale of Property at Bambukuliya, in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 13,178 of the District Court of Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Suse Fernando Ramanaden Pulle, Police Headman of Mookkuliya, against the defendant Gabriel Fernando Sinnatamby of Bambukuliya, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned property, mortgaged by bond No. 23,393, dated May 30, 1914, and attested by D. M. Karunaratne, Notary, by public auction, at the spot, at 3 P.M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1919, to wit:—

The land called Millagahawatta, situate at Bambukuliya in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, in extent about 1 acre, with the cadjan thatched houses standing thereon.

Further particulars from S. K. Wijayarathnam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, June 3, 1919.

Auction Sale of Property at Thammarakuliya, in the District of Chilaw.

UNDER decree in case No. 13,230, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Ana Nana Sina Tuana Rawanna Mana Siddamberam Chetty of Negombo against the defendants (1) Wijayatpedige Mirisa and (2) ditto Subaya, both of Thammarakuliya, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned property, mortgaged by bond No. 929, dated January 28, 1918, and attested by P. D. F. de Croos, Notary, by public auction, at the spot, at 10 A.M., on Wednesday, June 25, 1919, to wit:—

An undivided 5/6 shares of the remaining portion out of the land, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 3 perches, excluding a portion towards the south-west, in extent 27 fathoms from north to south and 22 fathoms from east to west, of the land called Ehetugahawatta, situate at Thammarakuliya in Otara palata of Pitigal korale, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province, which remaining portion is in extent about 2 acres 1 rood and 4 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from P. D. F. de Croos, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

Negombo, June 3, 1919.

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Valuable Properties at Nainamadama and Dummaladeniya, in the District of Chilaw.

UNDER decree in case No. 13,271, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Kuna Pana Rawanna Mana Ana Vena Alagappa Chetty, by his attorney Sena Maha Kana Nana Kannappa Chetti of Negombo, against the defendant Warnakulasuriya Estakki Manuel Fernando of Nainamadama, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged by bond No. 1,613, dated April 17, 1916, and attested by D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Notary, by public auction, at the respective spots, on Wednesday, July 9, 1919, commencing at 1 P.M., to wit:—

1. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share towards the northern boundary of the land called Galmoragahawatta, with the buildings thereon, situate at Nainamadama in Kammal pattu of Pitigal korale, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province, in extent about 1 acre and 2 roods.

2. The undivided 1/16 share of the portion of the land called Galmoragahaowita *alias* Lunumidellagahaowita, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 2 acres.

3. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Galmoragahaowita, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent 2 acres and 24 perches.

4. The undivided 2/7 shares of the land called Talgahawatta, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 1 acre and 2 roods.

5. The undivided 2/7 shares of the land called Mendagahakumbura, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 1 acre.

6. All that land called Mailagahawatta, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 60 coconut trees plantable ground.

7. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Galmoragahawatta, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

8. The undivided 1/7 share of the land called Madangahawatta, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

9. The undivided 3/56 shares of the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Talgahawatta, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

10. The undivided 3/56 shares of an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Mendagahakumbura, situate at Nainamadama aforesaid, in extent about 1 acre.

11. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the undivided 12/14 shares towards the eastern boundary of the land called Nugagahayaya, situate at Dummaladeniya in Otara palata of Pitigal korale aforesaid, in extent about 4 acres.

12. The undivided 3/57 shares of the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share on the western side of the land called Nugagahayaya, situate at Dummaladeniya aforesaid, in extent about 4 acres.

Further particulars from Messrs. Amerasinghe & Ranasinghe, Proctors and Notaries, Negombo, or—

Negombo, June 3, 1919.

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Valuable Properties at Kandy.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. 26,633 in favour of the plaintiffs Alexander Gordon Fraser by his attorney K. C. Macpherson of Trinity College, Kandy, and another, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots at 3.30 P.M., on Saturday, June 28, 1919, the following properties, to wit:—

1. All that portion of the land, together with the two tiled houses bearing present assessment Nos. 1,008 and 1,008 $\frac{1}{2}$ and all other buildings and plantations thereon, containing in extent 1 acre and 7 square perches, more or less, according to the survey thereof dated August 5, 1909, made by Geo. E. de Motte, Licensed Surveyor, situate at Katukele road in Kandy.

2. All that allotment of land together with the new buildings (the former buildings Nos. 1,003A, 1,004, 1,005, 1,006A, 1,006B, 1,007A, 1,007B, 1,007C, and 1,007D having been demolished) and the two large wells thereon, situate at Katukele aforesaid, containing in extent 2 roods 11 perches, excluding 2 perches towards the extreme eastern corner.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Walangoda & Rambukwelle, Proctors and Notaries, Kandy, or to me:

No. 9, Malbar street, Kandy.

A. R. WICKREMESAKERE,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

Marsian de Silva Wijekulasuriya, Registrar of Marriages, Galupiadada, Galle Plaintiff.

No. 16,860.

Vs.

Juwan Badaturuge Johana *alias* Ango Harry Jayasingha of Dangedara, Galle (widow of Appuwa Hennedige Baban de Silva, deceased) Defendant.

BY virtue of commission issued to me from the District Court of Galle in the above case, I will sell by public auction on Saturday, June 14, 1919, at 3.30 P.M., the following property for recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,273, and legal interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from April 2, 1919, till payment in full and cost of suit:—

All the soil and trees of the two defined and contiguous lots marked Nos. 3 and 4, now divided into two contiguous lots marked A and B of the land Ketakalagahawatta *alias* Airidu Lebbe Marikkar tottam *alias* Welawatta *alias* Walawwewatta *alias* Badalgewatta with the buildings and everything else within it, situate at Ettiligoda within the Four Gravets of the District of Galle; and bounded on the north by Ahangamagewatta and Madangahawatta, east by Wellalagewatta *alias* Guruhamygewatta and Wellalagewatta *alias* Badalgewatta, south by the Circular road, and west by lot No. 2 of the said garden; containing in extent 2 roods 22.32 perches.

Conditions of sale will be read over before the sale at the spot.

For further particulars apply to E. S. Jayawickrema, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Galle, or to me—

57, Lighthouse street,
Galle, May 29, 1919.

U. B. WIJEKOON,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Kuna Mana Nana Meiappa Chetty by his attorney Sena Kana Runa Palaniappa Chetty of Kurunegala .. Plaintiff.

No. 6,915.

Vs.

(1) Seyadu Ibrahim Saibo, son of Miyanna Sego Ibrahim
(2) Mahamadu Ibrahim Meera, son of Kader P. K. R.,
both of Elpitia in Keeraweli pattu of Beligal Korale,
Kegalla District, (3) Sena Kawenna Wana Kader
Ibrahim Saibo of Kurunegala Defendants.

BY virtue of the decree entered in the above case and the order issued therein, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, July 5, 1919, commencing at

10 A.M., at the respective spots, the following property specially bound and executable for recovery of the sum of Rs. 780·50, with further interest on Rs. 500 at 18 per cent. per annum from April 23, 1918, till decree and thereafter legal interest and costs:—

1. Undivided $\frac{3}{16}$ shares of Ruppegawahena of 2 amunams paddy in extent *alias* $\frac{1}{2}$ share of 3 lahas paddy sowing extent.

2. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share, exclusive of 1 pela paddy in extent *alias* undivided $\frac{7}{16}$ share of the entire land called Ruppegawahena of 2 amunams paddy in extent.

3. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land Galapitamadahena of 2 pela and 5 lahas paddy in extent, situate at Galapitamada in Kegalla.

4. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Mora-atulapallehena of 3 amunams paddy in extent, situate at Imbulgoda in the said district.

5. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Godaparagahamulahena of about 1 amunam paddy in extent, situate at Kadigomuwa in the said district.

6. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Pitadeniyegalagodahena of 3 pelas and 5 lahas paddy in extent, situate at Imbulgoda in the said district.

7. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Nakanuwamulahena of 1 amunam paddy in extent, situate at Imbulgoda in the said district.

8. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Pitadeniyetennahena of 1 amunam paddy in extent, situate at Lewangoda-Imbulgoda in the said district.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. C. P. & C. W. Markus, Proctors, Supreme Court, Kurunegala, or to—

D. M. PERERA,
Auctioneer.

May 27, 1919.

Auction Sale of Valuable Property in the District of Kurunegala and some Mortgage Bonds and Decrees of Courts and a Bull and a Cow.

UNDER instructions from the executor of the estate of the late S. P. A. Velleappa Chetty and with the leave of court in D. C., Kurunegala, Testamentary case No. 1,564, I shall sell by public auction the following properties at No. 68, Esplande street, Kurunegala:—

On Saturday, June 14, 1919, commencing at 1 P.M.

Lands at Hidogama in Magul Otota korale.

1. Diulgahakumbura of 1 pela paddy in extent.
2. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Webodakumbura of 1 pela paddy in extent.

Lands at Kirindigala in the said korale.

3. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Rambewewagodakumbura of 4 amunams in extent.

Lands at Galagedera in the said korale.

4. Kankaniyawela of 6 pelas paddy in extent.

Lands at Beminigala in Katugampola-Meddeketiya korale.

5. Meegahamulawatta of 3 kurunies in extent.
6. Alutwatta of 2 kurunies in extent.
7. Udahagewela of 1 amunam paddy in extent.
8. Pansalewatta of 4 kurunies in extent.
9. Siyapola-asseddumathiyanakumbura of 2 pelas in extent.
10. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Kumbukkotuwakiyanakumbura of 2 pelas paddy in extent.

Lands at Wewala in Meddeketiya korale.

11. Kongahamulawatta of 3 seers and $\frac{1}{2}$ of Meegahawatta, 3 lahas in extent.

Lands at Yaggapitiya in Mahagalboda Megoda korale.

12. Timbirigahamulakumbura of 2 pelas in extent.

Lands at Dunagomuwa in the said korale.

13. Gangoda.Ambagahamulahena of 4 lahas in extent.
14. Teringahawelakumbura of 15 lahas in extent.
15. Ambagahakumburehena of 5 lahas in extent.

Lands at Madawa in Gandahe korale, Weudawili hatpattu, Kandy road.

16. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Deeyagalaketakalagahamulahena, now garden of 8 lahas in extent.
17. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Bulugahamulawatta of 2 pelas in extent.
18. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Bulugahamulahena *alias* Halandehena of 6 kurunies in extent.
19. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Bulugahamulawatta of 5 pelas in extent.
20. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Galagawahena, now garden of 4 lahas in extent.

Lands at Kadahapola in Dambadeni Udukaha korale in Negombo road.

21. $\frac{21}{32}$ shares of Nugawelagawahena, now garden of 8 acres and 26 perches in extent.

Lands at Potuhera in Udaopolamedalasse korale.

22. Ihalarukgahakumbura of 2 pelas in extent.

Lands at Gallehepitiya in Tissawa korale.

23. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of several contiguous lands called Diulgahakumbura of 15 lahas paddy and Gira-ambagahamulawatta of 2 lahas kurakkan in extent.

Lands at Bogolla in Giratalana korale.

24. $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Hitinawatta of 8 lahas in extent.

Mortgage bonds bearing the following numbers:—

(a) No. 31,903 for Rs. 2,500 and interest and $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 3,103 for Rs. 1,500 and interest both put in suit in D. C., Kurunegala, case No. 7,041; (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 2,550 for Rs. 1,000 and interest; (c) No. 12,564 for Rs. 500 and interest; (d) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 11,333 for Rs. 300 and interest and $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 8,411 for Rs. 300 and interest, both put in suit in D. C., Kurunegala, case No. 7,286; (e) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 28,188 for Rs. 750 and interest; (f) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 1,429 for Rs. 40 and interest; (g) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 2,284 for Rs. 100 and interest put in suit in A. C. R., Kurunegala, case No. 24,286; (h) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 2,482 for Rs. 300 and interest put in suit in D. C., Kurunegala, case No. 7,032; (i) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 31,091 for Rs. 300 and interest put in suit in D. C., 7,035; (j) No. 25,539 for Rs. 279 and interest; (k) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of No. 31,281 for Rs. 100 and interest.

Decrees bearing the following numbers:—

(1) Amount due on D. C., Kurunegala, cases Nos. 2,744 (2) 2,745, (3) 4,332, (4) 4,548, (5) 3,028, (6) 3,035, (7) 3,712, (8) 3,534, (9) amount due on A. C. R., Kurunegala, case No. 21,341, (10) amount due on C. R., Kurunegala, cases Nos. 252, (11) 1,529, (12) 1,602.

Further particulars please apply to R. O. Felsing, Esq., Proctor, S. C., Kurunegala, or to—

Kurunegala, May 26, 1919.

H. DON JAMES,
Auctioneer.

Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.

I, BUSABADUGE LEIRIS NEENANDO ABAYA-SUNDARA WICKRAMASURIYA, in Beruwala-badda of the Kalutara totamune in the District of Kalutara, do hereby give notice, in terms of rule 2 of Schedule I B of section 8 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary Public to practise in Sinhalese language in the District of Mannar.

B. L. F. A. WICKRAMASURIYA.
Beruwala, March 19, 1919.