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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of Her Majesty VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir ARTHUR ELIBANK HAVELOCK, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

A. E. HAVELOCK.

WHEREAS by "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," it is amongst other things enacted that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden by one of the Judges thereof for each of the Circuits into which the Island is by the said Ordinance divided for the purposes of the administration of justice—

For the Midland Circuit three times at least at Kandy and such other places in such Circuit as the Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges, shall appoint; such Sessions commencing at Kandy on March 10, on August 1, and on December 1 in every year:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court should, on the days hereinafter mentioned, be holden at Kurunégala and Badulla, places within the said Midland Circuit in the said Ordinance mentioned:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do hereby direct and appoint that Sessions of the Supreme Court in its criminal

jurisdiction shall be holden at Kurunégala on Thursday, the Twenty-first day of March, and at Badulla on Thursday, the Twenty-eighth day of March, 1895.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this First day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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WHEREAS by "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," it is amongst other things enacted that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden by one of the Judges thereof for each of the Circuits into which the Island is by the said Ordinance divided for the purposes of the administration of justice—

For the Western Circuit four times at least at Colombo; such Sessions commencing at Colombo on January 10, on March 20, on July 10, and on October 10 in every year:

And whereas by the said Ordinance it is also provided that it shall be competent for the Governor, for sufficient reasons to him appearing, after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, to alter the dates fixed by the said Ordinance for holding Criminal Sessions of the said Court at any of the places therein mentioned, and to fix any other date for the commencement thereof:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient to alter the date fixed by the said Ordinance for the commencement of the Second Criminal Session of the Supreme Court at Colombo, and to fix another date instead thereof:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, for sufficient reasons to Us appearing, and after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do hereby direct and appoint as follows:

That the Second Criminal Session of the Supreme Court for the Western Circuit to be holden this year at Colombo, shall commence on Monday, the 1st day of April, instead of Wednesday, the 20th day of March.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this First day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

APPOINTMENTS. &c.. BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN pursuance of Her Majesty's Instructions dated the Sixth day of December, 1889, and the Ninth day of May, 1890, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM ELLAWALA EKANAYAKA RAJAPAKSA BASNAYAKA MUDIYANSE to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon, with effect from the Twenty-second day of February, 1895, in the room of TIKIRI BANDU PANABOKKE, who has vacated his seat in the Council.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 22, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from March 8, 1895:—

Mr. E. T. NOYES to act as Assistant at Puttalam to the Government Agent, North-Western Pro-

vince, and District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Puttalam, during the absence of Mr. S. HAUGHTON on leave, or until further orders, and while so acting to be Superintendent of the Prison at Puttalam, a Visitor of the Post Offices in the District of Puttalam, and Additional Superintendent of Police, Puttalam.

Mr. J. J. THORBURN to act as Assistant at Chilaw to the Government Agent, North-Western Province, and District Judge and Joint Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Chilaw, during the employment of Mr. E. T. NOYES on other duty, or until further orders, and while so acting to be Superintendent of the Prison at Chilaw and a Visitor of the Post Offices in the District of Chilaw.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 20, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. E. DAVIDSON to act as Assistant at Kégalla to the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from February 23, 1895, during the absence of Mr. F. H. PRICE on leave, or until further orders, and while so acting to be Additional District Judge, Kégalla, Superintendent of the Prison at Kégalla, a Visitor of the Post Offices in the District of Kégalla, and Additional Superintendent of Police, Kégalla.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 26, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. F. A. PRINS to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panwila and Urugala and Upper and Lower Dumbara, during the absence of Mr. J. H. EATON, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. H. BARBER to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Mátalé, for three months, with effect from the 11th instant, during the absence of Mr. J. H. EATON, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. L. TRANCHELL to act as Superintendent of Police, Southern Province, from the 5th instant until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 22, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. P. D. WARREN, Chief Surveyor, North-Western Province, to be a Member of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province, *vice* Mr. C. H. ALLEN, who has left the station.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 25, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. L. CREASY, Provincial Engineer, Uva, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Health, Badulla, in the room of Mr. A. MURRAY, transferred to Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Dr. J. DRIEBERG to act as Registrar of Deaths of Locality No. 4, comprising the Fort and Galle Face Wards, from the 14th instant and until further orders, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. W. G. KEITH, on leave. His office will be at the Port Surgeon's Office, Fort.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 22, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GEORGE ERNEST DE SILVA WICKREMESINHA GOONERATNA, Mudaliyar of Hinidum pattu, to be an Inquirer into Sudden Deaths within the Judicial District of Galle.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 24, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Omatte Tillekeratne Mudiyanseeralahamillagé Kolawane PUNCHI BANDÁ to be an Inspector of Wells and Pits, under the Ordinance No. 27 of 1884, for the Kolonná kóralé.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 25, 1895.

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

Omatte Tillekeratne Mudiyansealagé PUNCHI BANDÁ to act as Registrar of Marriages, Births, and Deaths of Kolonná kóralé, in the Ratnapura District, for one month from March 1, 1895, during the absence of the Registrar, JAMES WILLIAM MADUANWELA, on leave. His office will be at Maduanwalawalawwa in Maduanwala.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 26, 1895.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE following Candidates have passed the examination held in January last for admission into the Second Class of the Clerical Branch of the Public Service :—

Index No.	Name.	Address.
58	Alutgama, Siman ...	St. Thomas's School, Mátara
3	Amarasinghe, Albert Perera ...	Halloluwa road, Kandy
83	Abayawardana, W. A. ...	Second Clerk, District Road Committee, Kégalla
64	Abayasekara, J. S. ...	Richmond Hill, Galle
75	Abraham, D. V. ...	Care of Mr. S. Johnpulle, Goorook-o-ya, Náwalapitiya
5	Charavanamuttu, P. S. ...	Extra Clerk, Prisons Office, Colombo
251	Chellappa, Arunasalem ...	Care of A. Tilliambálam, Vannarponne east, Jaffna
195	De Vos, W. T. ...	Assistant Gansabhawa Clerk, Mátara Kachchéri
10	De Kretser, P. H. ...	4, Campbell street, Cinnamon Gardens
36	De Fonseka, G. J. ...	Clerk, District Road Committee, Colombo
171	Dassanayaka, P. C. ...	97, Dangedara street, Galle
42	Don, Richard Henry ...	Clerk, Principal Civil Medical Office
169	Ernohis, K. P. ...	Mahinda College, Galle
134	Fernando, M. S. ...	16A, Cemetery road, Grandpass
93	Gunasekara, J. W. ...	Fourth Clerk, Land Registry, Kalutara
131	Guñaratna, E. W. ...	Waskaduwa, Kalutara
68	Guneratna, Herod... ..	Waskaduwa, Kalutara
15	Jansz, J. C. ...	Clerk, Government Record Office
17	Perkins, G. H. ...	Clerk, Civil Medical Stores
55	Perera, G. G. ...	54, Pickering's road, Kotahena, Colombo
77	Perera, C. W. ...	6, Wekanda, Slave Island
20	Pereira, Harry Eaton ...	62, Hill street, Celombo
265	Perera, J. H. ...	Assessment Clerk, Badulla Kachchéri
1	Puvimanasingha, John J. ...	Second Clerk, Central Irrigation Board, Colombo
107	Pereira, R. H. ...	Mowbray House, Mutwal
28	Perera, P. M. ...	Buddhist School, Wekada, Panadure
92	Senanayeka, J. E. ...	Notes Clerk, Land Registry, Kandy
38	Vaitialingam, A. D. ...	Second Clerk, Public Works Department, Ratnapura
245	Wadsworth, W. S. ...	Copay, Jaffna
44	Weinman, C. O. ...	Clerk, Principal Civil Medical Office

By His Excellency the Governor's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that from and after February 28, 1895, the office of the Registrar of Marriages, Births, and Deaths of Ahangama Division, in the District of Galle, will be held at Kurunduwatta in Ahangama.

By His Excellency the Governor's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 23, 1895.

Resolution as to place for Collecting Toll.

WHEREAS the place at which the Talátu-o-ya bridge toll established under "The Tolls Ordinance, 1867," should be collected was by Proclamation dated the 6th February, 1871, determined to be at or near the bridge :

And whereas by section 3 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1885 it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, by resolution to be notified in the *Government Gazette*, to determine at what places tolls shall be collected, and to alter such places and other places to appoint for the collection thereof, anything which may be contained in "The Tolls Ordinance, 1867," to the contrary notwithstanding:

And whereas it is expedient to alter the place at which the toll in respect of the said Talátu-o-ya bridge shall be collected :

It is hereby notified that the Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by a resolution of 28th February, 1895, determined that such toll shall, from the 15th March, 1895, be collected at any place between the junction of the Udatenna road with the principal road from Kandy to Haragama and the junction with the same road of the turn to Gonawatta ferry; the payment of the Talátu-o-ya bridge toll to clear the Gonawatta ferry toll, and *vice versa*.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1895.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

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Volume I.

All Proclamations, Regulations, and Ordinances in force in the Colony on the 12th day of January, 1870: being the "New Edition" of Enactments authorized by Ordinances Nos. 6 of 1867 and 5 of 1869	...	each	15	0
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Volume II.

Part	From	To			
1	6 of 1870	9 of 1871	...	1	0
2	10 of 1871	28 of 1871	...	1	0
3	1 of 1872	7 of 1873	...	1	0
4	8 of 1873	23 of 1873	...	1	0
5	1 of 1874	3 of 1875	...	1	0
6	4 of 1875	3 of 1876	...	1	0
7	4 of 1876	4 of 1877	...	1	0
8	5 of 1877	8 of 1877	...	0	50
9	9 of 1877	23 of 1877	...	1	0
10	1 of 1878	16 of 1878	...	1	0
11	1 of 1879	15 of 1879	...	1	0

Volume III.

1	1 of 1880	17 of 1880	...	1	0
2	1 of 1881	18 of 1881	...	1	0
3	1 of 1882	16 of 1882	...	1	0
4	1 of 1883	18 of 1884	...	3	0
5	19 of 1884	11 of 1885	...	1	0

Volume IV.

1	12 of 1885	8 of 1886	...	1	0
2	9 of 1886	7 of 1887	...	1	0
3	8 of 1887	2 of 1888	...	0	40
4	3 of 1888	15 of 1889	...	2	70

Volume V.

1	16 of 1889	8 of 1890	...	0	85
2	9 of 1890	1 of 1891	...	0	45
3	2 of 1891	8 of 1892	...	0	95
4	9 of 1892	28 of 1892	...	0	60
5	1 of 1893	4 of 1894	...	0	55

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Uva, by H. White, c.c.s.	...	1	0
Nuwara Eliya, by C. J. R. LeMesurier, c.c.s.	...	5	0

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Part I., 1885-88	...	1	25
Part II., 1888-92	...	1	40

Epitome of Government Minutes, Circulars, and Notifications, 1849-71	...	1	0
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Tables for calculating Pensions under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund	...	0	25
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H. L. CRAWFORD,
Government Recordkeeper.

February 1, 1895.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 1, 1895.

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H. L. CRAWFORD,
Government Recordkeeper.

February 15, 1895.

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H. L. CRAWFORD,
Government Recordkeeper.

February 22, 1895.

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H. C. COTTLE,
Acting Government Printer.

IN pursuance of the provision of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1863, intituled "An Ordinance to amend in certain respects the Law of Marriages in this Island, and to provide for the due registration thereof, I, Ponnambalam Arunachalam, Acting Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned building, used as a place of public Christian religious worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein.

No. 677.

Date.—February 23, 1895.

Description.—Wesleyan Church.

Situation.—Talawa in Udakinda, in the District of Badulla.

Trustee.—The Rev. Samuel Langdon.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Acting Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 23, 1895.

Return of Cooly Immigrants at the Ports of Colombo and Mannar during the under-mentioned Periods.

Colombo. [Week ended February 20]	Arrivals.	Departures.
Men ...	445	1,322
Women ...	95	411
Children ...	87	94
Infants ...	30	32
Mannár. [Week ended February 23]	207	215

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

The Teachers' Certificate Examination, 1894.

THE following Candidates passed the Teachers' Certificate Examination held on December 3 and following days, in the order in which they are given, and the Candidates whose names do not appear in the list failed to pass the examination. No communication on the subject of the examination will be attended to.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, February 26, 1895.

A. WALKER,
Acting Director.

GOVERNMENT TEACHERS.

Second Class.

Index No.	Order of Merit.	Name.	Address.	Marks.
			Full marks ...	975
6	1	W. Vandebona	Assistant Teacher, Karagoda Uyangoda Boys' School	556

Third Class.

			Full marks ...	950
15	1	M. B. Kosgahakumbura	Teacher, Palugama Boys' School	567
18	2	H. Amis Perera	Late Monitor, Wadduwa Boys' School	511
8	3	A. R. Soyza	Monitor, Welitera Boys' School	510

Training Students.

			Full marks ...	1,125
1	1	H. D. Nicholas	—	821
6	2	M. R. Perera	—	782
9	3	H. B. Weerasuriya	—	778
3	4	M. A. Samaranayaka	—	776
5	5	M. D. Silva	—	768
8	6	A. Kalu Banda	—	735
7	7	T. B. Ratnayaka	—	702
10	8	L. B. Ellapola	—	670
4	9	J. D. Perera	—	658
2	10	B. B. Perera	—	633

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to this Department will be put up for sale by public auction at 12 noon on Saturday, March 9, 1895 :—

2 baskets	1 knife
2 belts, peons'	2 mallets
3 driving belts	3 melting pots
2 boards	2 padlocks
3 bodkins	1 penslide
1 bottle	5 poles
21 brushes	5 stencil plates
1 bucket	8 royal arms
8 cases	1 rule and lead cutter
1 cask	4 pairs scissors
8 iron chases	1 nest of shelves
5 chisels	3 stools
4 composing sticks	3 screwdrivers
1 cup	1 stamp-holder
2 ornaments	1 dating stamp
1 frame	1 spanner
1 funnel	1 table
2 files	3 tommyes
1 file brush	2 pairs tongs
2 galleys	3 saws
2 glue pots	Quant ity of metal dross
1 hook	Jars and bottles
1 inkstand	Tin cases

H. C. COTTLE,
Acting Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,
Colombo, February 28, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under mentioned unclaimed and confiscated articles lying in the Police Court of Hambantota will be sold by public auction at the Court-house on Saturday, March 9, 1885, at 11 A.M. :—

5 sambur hides	4 empty bottles
3 deer hides	4 packing cases (small)
1 gun	1 sword (small)
1 wooden box (small)	1 pair deer horns.

Police Court, Hambantota, February 23, 1895. EVAN M. BYRDE,
Police Magistrate.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles belonging to the Mahara Jail will be sold by public auction at the Mahara Jail premises on Saturday, March 16, 1895, at 12 noon :—

- 4 buckets, zinc
- 4 lamps, hurricane, hanging
- 2 pairs scissors, hair-cutting
- 2 tubs, wooden, water carrying

Convict Establishment, Colombo, February 20, 1895. R. E. FIRMINER,
Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the Public Works Department will be sold by public auction at

the Public Works Department Store, Government Factory, on Thursday, March 28, 1895 :—

8 adzes of sorts	4 lanterns, hand
23 augers of sorts	1,325 mamoties
20 axes of sorts	4 masons' spirit levels
61 brushes of sorts	1 oil can
8 boxes, empty	800 pickaxes
3 bass brooms	10 planes of sorts
23 barrels, tar, empty	10 powder canisters
39 billhooks and coytas	8 rakes
72 bits for braces	10 rammers, copper
22 buckets, water, wooden	3 saws, cross-cut
248 buckets, galvanized	5 saws, pit
75 baskets, earth	25 saws, hand
1 bugle	3 saws, frame
9 cattles	1 saw, band
10 cans, tin	2 scales, copper
1 cask, wooden	12 scrapers, miners'
25 chisels of sorts	250 shovels and spades
20 crowbars, claw	1 smith's tool set
9 crowbars, jumper	1 soorkie, sifter
40 disintegrator plates	3 tapes, measuring 50 ft.
1 file, large, rubber	17 tubs, water
150 files of sorts	3 tubs, feeding
1 forge, portable	60 trowels, masons'
1 glazier's diamond	26 wedges, iron
6 gravel screens	2 winches, crab
1 grinding stone	1 cylinder, broken
2 gauges, rain	12 hand carts
600 hammers, hand	1 water cart
50 hammers, sledge	1 brass tap
123 hammers, half-sledge	3 road rollers
50 hammers, miners'	1 lot scrap iron
2 hammers, smiths'	7 window casements
	5 window frames

F. J. PIGOTT,
for R. K. MACBRIDE,
Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 21, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the Public Works Department will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Office, Chilaw, on Saturday, March 30, 1895 :—

1 adze	60 hammers, hand
3 augers	6 hammers, sledge, iron
4 barrels, tar	7 hammers, sledge, half
2 billhooks and coytas	5 hammers, miners'
1 brace, iron	200 mamoties
5 wooden buckets	250 pickaxes
23 galvanized buckets	3 planes of sorts
2 brushes, paint	13 rammers, copper
1 brush, whitewashing	30 shovels and spades
5 cans, tin	5 tubs, water
3 chisels of sorts	3 trowels, masons'
1 crowbar, claw	2 turnscrews
1 forge, portable	
2 gravel screens	
3 gauges, piling	

F. J. PIGOTT,
for R. K. MACBRIDE,
Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 21, 1895.

STATEMENT of the Account of the Commissioners of Currency for the Month ended December 31, 1894, required by section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884 :—

CIRCULATION.			Value.
Currency notes in circulation on December 31, 1894	...	—	Rs. c. 8,915,000 0
RESERVE.			In Silver. In Securities.
By silver in the vault (3 cents copper)	...	4,845,155 13	Rs. c. —
By investments made by the Crown Agents as per annexed statements (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f)	...	—	2,495,318 8
By securities invested in Indian Government paper as per annexed statement (g)	...	—	1,574,526 79
			4,845,155 13
			4,069,844 87
			8,915,000 0

E. NOEL WALKER, Colonial Secretary,
 J. A. SWETTENHAM, Auditor-General,
 F. R. SAUNDERS, Treasurer,

Currency Commissioners.

Value of Securities, calculated at the latest known Market Prices of November, 1894.

Cost.	Stock Held.	Description.	Latest known Market Prices of Nov., 1894.	Brokerage	Net Price.	Value.	Net Value.	
Rs. c.	£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
(a) 599,283 0	3,290 4 7	Cape 4 per cent. Consolidated Stock	115½	115½		3,791 19 8		
	5,500 0 0	Canada Dominion 5-per cent. Debentures	113	112½		6,201 5 0		
	6,200 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	112	111½		6,928 10 0		
	8,267 18 7	Do. 3 do. Stock	100½	100½		8,288 11 11		
	2,918 11 10	South Australia 4 do. do.	107½	107½		3,130 3 8		
	4,313 7 5	New South Wales 3½ do. do.	102	101½		4,388 17 1		
	3,601 7 11	Do. 3½ do. Inscribed Stock	102	101½		3,664 8 4		
	100 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	111	110½		110 15 0		
	100 0 0	Do. 4 do. Debentures	105	104½		104 15 0		
	9,600 0 0	Do. 5 do. do.	104	103½		9,960 0 0		
	8,000 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	105	104½		8,380 0 0		
(b) 292,708 50	8,000 0 0	Victoria 4 do. do.	103	102½		8,220 0 0		
	6,400 0 0	Canada Dominion 4 do. do.	112	111½		7,152 0 0		
	5,000 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	112	111½		5,587 10 0		
(c) 299,994 0	5,000 0 0	South Australia 4 do. do.	104	103½		5,187 10 0		
	5,400 0 0	New South Wales 5 do. do.	104	103½		5,602 10 0		
(d) 88,000 0	5,000 0 0	Victoria 4½ do. do.	107	106½		5,337 10 0		
	5,653 12 2	Do. 4 do. Inscribed Stock	105	104½		5,922 3 0		
	11,732 17 2	Do. 3½ do. do.	99	98½		11,586 3 11		
	13,277 0 5	South Australia 3½ do. do.	102	101½		13,509 7 4		
(e) 1,000,000 0	10,124 12 3	New Zealand 3½ do. do.	102½	102½		10,352 8 3		
	9,344 14 4	New South Wales 3½ do. do.	102	101½		9,508 4 11		
	10,694 19 6	Cape 3½ do. do.	111	110½		11,844 13 6		
	10,000 0 0	Canada Dominion 3 do. do.	100½	100½		10,025 0 0		
(f) 215,332 58	2,053 17 9	New South Wales 3½ do. Stock	102	101½		2,089 16 6		
	3,145 9 1	New Zealand 3½ do. do.	102½	102½		3,216 4 7		
	5,167 18 8	Consols 2½ do. do.	103½	103½		5,329 8 6		
	3,629 15 0	Local Loans 3 do. do.	107½	107		3,883 16 6		
2,495,318 8	171516 6 8		Market price, Dec. 31, 1894.			179303 12 8	at exchange	
(g) 1,574,526 79	Rs. c. 1,616,300 0	Indian Securities	103½	103½			3,286,520 6	per rupee =
							1,670,850 12	Rs. c.
						Present value of Securities	=	4,957,370 13
						Original cost of Securities	=	4,069,844 87
						Difference in favour of present value =		887,525 31
						(or about 21 per cent. of Investments)		

Depreciation Fund Investments.

Cost.	Stock Held.	Description.	Latest known Market Prices of Nov., 1894.	Brokerage	Net Price.	Value.	Net Value.	
Rs. c.	£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
13,107 1	837 2 1	New South Wales 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock	111	110½		927 1 9		
13,390 55	837 16 9	Cape Consolidated Stock	115½	115½		965 12 0		
12,737 15	957 1 2	Canada Dominion 3 per cent. Stock	100½	100½		959 9 0		
12,246 0	914 8 6	Victoria 3½ per cent. Stock	99	98½		902 19 11		
13,776 75	966 15 3	South Australia 3½ per cent. Stock	102	101½		983 13 7		
27,944 78	1,892 5 4	Victoria 3½ per cent. Stock	99	98½		1,868 12 3		
28,676 96	1,763 0 1	New Zealand 3½ per cent. Stock	102½	102½		1,802 13 4		
	8,168 9 2						8,410 1 10	
	Rs. c. 60,000 0	Indian Securities	Market price of Dec. 31, 1894.				at exchange	
59,998 62	37,000 0	do.	103½	103½			1s. 1 3-32d.	
36,582 48	48,000 0	do.					per rupee =	
48,000 0	54,000 0	do.					Rs. c.	
56,373 68	199,000 0	do.					154,151 55	
							205,716 25	
						Amount uninvested	...	359,867 80
								20,456 22
								380,324 2