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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.

**W**HEREAS by the 19th section of "The Forest Ordinances, 1885 and 1892," it is enacted that when the following events have occurred, viz. :—

- (a) The period fixed under section 7 for preferring claims has elapsed, and all claims, if any, made within such period have been disposed of by the Forest Settlement Officer; and
- (b) If such claims have been made, the periods fixed for appealing from the orders passed on such claims have elapsed, and all appeals, if any, presented within such period have been disposed of by the Supreme Court; and
- (c) All lands, if any, to be included in the proposed forest which may be acquired under section 13 have become vested in the Crown—

the Governor shall, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, specify the limits of the forest which it is intended to reserve, and declare the same to be reserved from a date to be fixed by such Proclamation :

And whereas all things necessary for declaring the forest hereunto mentioned to be a reserved forest have been fulfilled, and all times have elapsed, and it is expedient to specify the limits of such forest :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, do by this Our Proclamation declare the forest lots 8,062, 8,079, T 551 $\frac{1}{2}$ , O 552 $\frac{1}{2}$ , W 550 $\frac{1}{2}$  in preliminary plan 9,265, and lots in preliminary plan 10,049, in extent 962 acres 1 rood 32 perches, called Mitirigala Mukalana ; lot 8,078 in preliminary plan 9,265, in extent 197 acres 1 acre 36 perches, called Kalaotuwwa Mukalana ; lot 8,059 in preliminary plan 9,265, in extent 104 acres 8 perches, called Pallagalaotuwalanda,—in all 1,263 acres 3 roods 36 perches, more particularly described in the schedule hereto to be a reserved forest as from and after the First day of June, 1895, reserving nevertheless to the public the right of way along the following footpaths within the said forest, and described in preliminary plan 9,265 :

- (1) A reservation, 40 ft. wide, along the ancient footpath from Mitirigala to the Three Kóralés, being an old established path leading to Ruwanwella passing east and west through the middle of the forest.
- (2) A reservation, 40 ft. wide, along the footpath to the south of lot 8,079 along the banks of the Kelani-ganga and close to it, between the Mitirigala-oya and Indimaladola.
- (3) A reservation, 40 ft. wide, along the footpath near Mitirigala-oya on the east of the Kolaotuwwa Mukalana, lot 8,078, so far as it passes through this land.
- (4) A three-foot footpath passing through the northern portion of Pallagalaotuwalanda, lot 8,059, between the gardens called Kahatagahalanda and Watdeniyawatta.
- (5) A three-foot reservation for outlet path leading from the north-west corner of lot X 550 to the boundary of the reserve.

Reserving also to the villagers of Mitirigala the right to use the water of all the streams in the forest shown on preliminary plan 9,265, for the purposes of irrigation only.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred Ninety-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

#### SCHEDULE.

Forest situated in the village Mitirigala in the Gangaboda pattuwa of Siyané kóralé East, described in preliminary plans 9,265 and 10,049, and bounded as follows, viz. :—

On the north by Horagahahena, land described in title plan 111,961, Watdeniyakumbura, Watdeniyawatta, Watdeniyakumbura, Watdeniyawatta, Watdeniyakumbura, Mitirigala-oya, Nilowita (title plan 36,665), Mitirigala-oya, a stream flowing into Mitirigala-oya, Crown land, Halgahawatta, and Crown land.

On the east by the Province boundary between the Western and Sabaragamuwa Provinces and Indimaladola.

On the south by the Kelani-ganga, Mitirigala-oya, land described in title plan 134,412, Crown land, Kalatuwalanda, a stream, and Crown land.

On the west by Crown land, land described in title plan 133,199, Crown land, Kahatagahakumbura, Kahatagahawatta, Crown land, Kahatagahawatta, Crown land, Kahatagahawatta, Crown land, Kekunagahalanda, Crown land, Dunumadalagahawatta, Crown land, Kalaotuwwalanda, Lindamulakumbura, Mitirigala-oya, Hirikumburakanatta, Hirikumbura, Hirigahaliyadda or Balliyaddadeniya, Mitirigala-oya, Dolakumbura-ela, Mallalagodakumbura, Bogahakumbura, Yahalakanattedeniya, Gammadukumbura, Galabodakumbura, Gammadukumbura, Mitirigala-oya, a stream, land described in title plan 110,612, lands called Millagahawatta, Polattakumbura, land described in title plan 110,611, Pallegala-atualanda, Polattakumbura, Mandadeniyawatta, Annasigalalanda, land described in title plan 72,261, Kahatagahalanda, and Crown land called Horagahalanda, exclusive of lots X 550 and Y 550, situated within these boundaries.

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A. E. HAVELOCK.

WHEREAS by section 2 of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1887 it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by Proclamation to be for that purpose published in the *Government Gazette*, to bring any town or towns, whether mentioned in the schedule to the principal Ordinance or not, under the operation of the said Ordinance, and to define the limits of such town or towns respectively for the purposes of the said Ordinance, and such Proclamation to amend, alter, or revoke as and whenever the Governor shall, with the like advice, determine :

And whereas by a Proclamation dated the 27th January, 1895, the town of Kégalla, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, was brought under the operation of the said Ordinance, and the limits of the said town were, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, defined in such Proclamation :

And whereas it is expedient to amend the said Proclamation of the 27th January, 1895, as respects the limits of the said town of Kéggalla, and to re-define the limits of the said town for the purposes aforesaid :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby amend the Proclamation of the said 27th January, 1895, aforesaid, by altering the limits of the said town as defined therein, and We do hereby define, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, the limits of the said town of Kéggalla to be those set out in the schedule hereto as from and after the First day of June, 1895.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

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SCHEDULE.

*North.*—By a straight line from the 7th milestone on the road from Polgahawela to the Kandy road to a point 12 chains north-north-east of the 49th milestone on the Kandy road.

*North-East.*—From the point 12 chains north-north-east of the 49th milestone on the Kandy road to a point on the bridle road leading from Mipitiya bridge on the Kandy high road to the bridle path leading to Rambukkana, 12 chains along that path from the Mipitiya bridge.

*South.*—Along the bridle path to the Mipitiya bridge ; thence along bridle path to the junction with the Circular road ; thence along the Circular road to the junction with the Bulatkohopitiya road ; thence across the bridge over the Anguruwela-oya ; thence along the Cemetery road to the new cemetery ; thence along the southern and western boundaries of the cemetery till it joins the Cemetery road again ; thence along the Cemetery road to its junction with the Kandy road ; thence along the Kandy road to the junction of the Polgahawela road.

*West.*—From the junction of the Polgahawela and Kandy road along the Polgahawela road to the 7th milestone

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. H. O. FOX to act as Office Assistant at Colombo to the Government Agent, Western Province, from the 19th instant, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 17, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. B. HILL to act as Extra Assistant at Mátara to the Government Agent, Southern Province, in addition to his own duties as Acting District Judge, Mátara, and while so acting to be Superintendent of the Prison at Mátara, a Visitor of the Post Offices in the District of Mátara, and Additional Superintendent of Police, Mátara.

By His Excellency's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. P. GORDON-CUMMING to act until further orders as Office Assistant at Badulla to the Government Agent, Province of Uva, in addition to his own duties as Assistant Superintendent of Police, Uva, and while so acting to be Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Badulla.

By His Excellency's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 21, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ABRAHAM HENRY MONERASINGHE, Proctor, to be an Unofficial Member of the Provincial Road Committee, Anurádhapura.

By His Excellency's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 21, 1895.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. M. P. SAMARASINGHE, Proctor, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kégalla, on the 25th instant, during the absence of Mr. N. BASTIAMPULLEY, Registrar, on leave.

By His Excellency's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 21, 1895.

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

Mr. EDWIN VERNON GOONERATNE to act as Registrar of Marriages, Births, and Deaths of Galle Four Gravets No. 1, in the District of Galle, for six days from the 25th instant, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. FRANCIS ERNEST

GOONERATNE, on leave. His office will be at the Galle Kachchéri.

By His Excellency's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 17, 1895.

WITH reference to the *Gazette* notice dated the 15th instant, it is hereby notified that the acting appointment of ARNOLIS SENEVIRATNA as Registrar of Marriages, Births, and Deaths of Hikkaduwa division, in the District of Galle, has been extended to June 13 next.

By His Excellency the Governor's command,  
E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 19, 1895.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that the licence to register Marriages under the Ordinance No. 8 of 1886, granted by the Provincial Registrar, Colombo, to LEVVAI AHAMADO LEBBE PACKEER BAWA LEBBE, of Danowita, in the Udugaha pattu of the Hapitigam kóralé, Negombo District, has been cancelled with effect from April 25, 1895.

By His Excellency the Governor's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 17, 1895.

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Governor has, under the provisions of section 25 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1892, declared the reserved forests specified and described in the schedule hereto to be, as from and after July 1, 1895, solely under the control of the Conservator of Forests, and has authorized such Conservator to exercise in respect of each and every such reserved forest all the powers and duties vested in and imposed on the Government Agent under the said Ordinance and Ordinance No. 10 of 1885.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 2, 1895.

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

### Schedule.

#### PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

Name of Forest.	Korale.	Extent.			Date of Final <i>Gazette</i> Proclamation.
		A.	R.	P.	
Talawitiya	Kuruwiti	405	0	0	February 6, 1890
Marakele Mukalana	do.	190	0	0	May 3, 1875*
Bambarabotuwa	Nawadun	14,630	0	0	July 2, 1890
Kaduwalakanatta	do.	52	0	0	May 1, 1890
Nahiti Mukalana	Atakalan	483	0	0	December 7, 1889
Masimbula Mukalana	do.	50	0	0	do.
Pannila Mukalana	do.	347	0	0	May 8, 1893
Walawe Basin Reserve	Kadawatu	8,000	0	0	September 6, 1893
Morahela	do.	2,713	0	0	February 25, 1893
Borangamuwa Mukalana	do.	300	0	0	May 3, 1875*

\* Reserved under Ordinance No. 24 of 1848.



District Manuals :—	Rs. c.
Mannár, by the late W. J. S. Boake, c.c.s. ...	1 0
Uva, by H. White, c.c.s. ...	1 0
Nuwara Eliya, by C. J. R. Le Mesurier, c.c.s. ...	5 0
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Part I., 1885–88 ...	1 25
Part II., 1888–92 ...	1 40
Tables for calculating Pensions under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund ...	0 25
Exchange Compensation Tables ...	0 50
Pybus's Mission to Kandy ...	0 50

Application for any publication in the above List should be made to the *Government Recordkeeper*, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, and should be accompanied by payment in advance.

Payment should be made by Post Office Order, Government Draft, or uncrossed Cheque on a Colombo Bank. *Stamps will not be accepted in payment.*

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Government Recordkeeper.  
May 1, 1895.

THE CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE is published every *Friday* at the Government Printing Office.

The Subscription, Rs. 3 per quarter, is payable in advance and can only be booked to terminate at the end of a quarter.

Single copies, when available, 25 cents each.

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Advertisements should reach the Government Printer before noon on *Thursday*.

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	Rs.	c.
Volume I. ...	3	25
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To former Subscribers, each ...	0	12
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Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 1, 1895.

### Bombay Veterinary College.

THE College will re-open on the 17th June, when students will be admitted. Each candidate will be required to produce the following certificates :—

- Of age (no applicant under sixteen years of age can be admitted as a student).
- Of having (if under eighteen years of age) permission from his parents or guardians to enter as a student.
- Of physical and moral fitness.
- Of having studied up to the Sixth English Standard.

The Matriculation Certificate or the School Final Examination Certificate of any University shall be accepted as sufficient evidence of general education; for other candidates an examination for entrance will be conducted by the officers of the College.

*Free studentships* will be granted to deserving and promising young men.

*Scholarships of Rs. 5 per mensem* are available after competition; and a student may obtain both a free studentship and a scholarship.

JAMES MILLS, M.R.C.V.S.,  
Veterinary. Captain, A.V.D., J.P.,  
Principal, Bombay Veterinary College.

May 14, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1893, the license No. 333 issued on December 20, 1894, to Ena Abdulla Saibo, to carry on the trade of a butcher to Kotiyagala during 1895, has this day been withdrawn by me, the licensee having been convicted and fined in P. C. case No. 17,219, Hatton, for exposing and selling unwholesome meat, in breach of sub-section 2 of section 12 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1893.

ALLANSON BAILEY,  
Government Agent.

Kandy Kachcheri,  
May 21, 1895.

## SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

**A** LOT of old empty packing cases (large) will be sold by public auction at 12 noon on Wednesday, June 5, at the Railway premises, Maradana.

W. T. PEARCE,  
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, May 20, 1895.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction on Saturday, June 1, 1895, at 12 o'clock, at the Fiscal's Office, Colombo:—

1 lamp, kerosine, small  
3 lanterns, hurricane

SOLOMON SENEWIRATNE,  
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, May 21, 1895.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that on Monday, the 27th instant, at 3 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the General Post Office premises the following unserviceable articles belonging to the Post and Telegraph Department:—

6 reading lamps	4 spears, with balls
1 sorting pigeon-hole	2 commodes
3 key almirahs	1 letter scale
6 chairs	3 padlocks
1 stamping table	1 inkstand
7 letter boxes	1 pigeon-hole desk
1 candle stand	1 frame
2 hurricane lanterns	2 folding doors
2 hanging lamps	7 drawers
1 signboard	3 tubes
2 date boxes	

By order,  
F. W. VANE,

Assistant Postmaster-General

Postmaster-General's Office,  
Colombo, May 21, 1895.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

**S**EALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for the removal of Night Soil from the Maradana, Kew, Cinnamon Gardens, and Kotahena Police Latrines," will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office up to noon on Monday, June 10, 1895, from persons willing to contract for the removal of night soil from the Maradana, Kew, Cinnamon Gardens, and Kotahena Police Stations for one year commencing from July 1, 1895.

2. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Inspector-General of Police, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

3. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 25 as security, and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the receipt produced to the Inspector-General of Police.

4. The amount of each bond and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application to the Inspector-General of Police.

5. 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.

6. Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderer's own lawyers, to which bonds must be affixed the name or stamp of office of the tenderer's lawyers.

7. Any alteration made in the tender should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderer's initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
for Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 16, 1895.