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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

No. 826 of 1948.

No. C. 110/47.

IT is hereby notified that the Honourable Mr. C. SUNTHARALINGAM, Minister of Commerce and Trade, returned to the Island on the evening of August 9, 1948, and resumed the exercise of the functions of his office on August 10, 1948.

By His Excellency's command,

J. A. MULHALL,
Secretary to the Governor-General.

Governor-General's Office,
Colombo, August 12, 1948.

No. 827 of 1948.

No. C. 111/47.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL has been pleased, under section 51 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution and Independence) Orders in Council, 1946 and 1947, to appoint Mr. EDWARD HERON RYAN TENISON, Commissioner for Development of Agricultural Marketing, to act as Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Commerce and Trade, in addition to his own duties, with effect from July 16, 1948, during the absence of Mr. K. SOMASUNTHARAM out of the Island.

The notice dated July 17, 1948, and published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 9,888 of July 23, 1948, is hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

J. A. MULHALL,
Secretary to the Governor-General.

Governor-General's Office,
Colombo, August 9, 1948.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

No. 828 of 1948.

THE Public Service Commission has been pleased to order the following appointments:—

A 27/48.

Mr. H. E. S. RANASINGHE to act as Administrative Secretary to the Director of Agriculture with effect from July 17, 1948.

A 67/48.

Mr. H. A. J. HULUGALLE to be Information Officer with effect from July 31, 1948.

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A 27/48.

Mr. C. R. W. DE SILVA to act as Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Central Province, with effect from July 26, 1948.

M. CHANDRASOMA,
Secretary, Public Service Commission.

Office of the Public Service Commission,
P. O. Box No. 500,
Colombo 1, August 11, 1948.

No. 829 of 1948.

A. 77/48.

THE Public Service Commission has been pleased to order the following appointment:—

Mr. N. L. JANSZ to be Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Justice with effect from July 31, 1948.

M. CHANDRASOMA,
Secretary, Public Service Commission.

Office of the Public Service Commission,
P. O. Box No. 500,
Colombo 1, August 11, 1948.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE JUDICIAL SERVICE COMMISSION.

No. 830 of 1948.

No. JAA/11/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. D. A. LEANAGE to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Colombo, on the 9th August, 1948, to try D. C. Colombo Criminal Case No. NI406/23525.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.

Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 831 of 1948.

No. JAA/2/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. X. MARTYN to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Avissawella, on the 25th September, 1948, to hear D. C. Avissawella Cases Nos. 3357 and 3896.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.

Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 832 of 1948.

No. JAA/41/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. M. M. I. KARIAPPER to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Matara, on the 20th August, 1948, to enable judgment to be delivered in D. C. Matara Case No. 17851.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 9th August, 1948.

No. 833 of 1948.

No. JAA/1/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. A. L. S. SRIMANNE to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Anuradhapura, and Additional Magistrate, Anuradhapura, on the 13th and 14th August, 1948, to hear D. C. Anuradhapura (Criminal) Case No. 1038/M. C. Anuradhapura 21954 and M. C. Anuradhapura Case No. 22285.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 3rd August, 1948.

No. 834 of 1948.

No. JAA/50/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. S. C. E. RODRIGO to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Magistrate, Point Pedro, on the 14th August, 1948, to enable order to be delivered in M. C. Point Pedro Case No. 10704.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 10th August, 1948.

No. 835 of 1948.

No. JAA/50/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. S. C. E. RODRIGO to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Magistrate, Point Pedro, on the 14th August, 1948, to deliver order in M. C. Chavakachcheri Case No. 26436.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 836 of 1948.

No. JRL. 36/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. D. A. WEERAKOON, Proctor S. C., Panadura, to act as President, Rural Court, Raigam Korale, Panadura District, during the absence of Mr. E. S. A. RATNAYAKE on the 10th August, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 5th August, 1948.

No. 837 of 1948.

No. JRL. 5/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. M. B. F. COORAY, Proctor S. C., Kalutara, to act as President, Rural Court, Pasdun Korales East and West, Kalutara District, during the absence of Mr. L. A. P. DE ALWIS on the 10th August, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 5th August, 1948.

No. 838 of 1948.

No. JRL. 48/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. A. WANIGASINGHE, Proctor S. C., Kandy, to act as President, Rural Court, Uda Hewaheta and Walapane, Nuwara Eliya District, during the absence of Mr. L. B. WEERASEKERA from the 1st to the 28th September, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 839 of 1948.

No. JR/AA. 19/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. C. H. WICKRAMANAYEKA, Proctor S. C., Galle, to act as Additional President, Rural Court, Gangaboda Pattu and Humdum Pattu, Galle District, on the 27th August, 1948, to hear Rural Court Nagoda Cases Nos. 88N, 89N, 90N and 91N.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 840 of 1948.

No. JRL. 22/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. D. D. VITHARANANE, Proctor S. C., Matara, to act as President, Rural Court, Morawak Korale, Matara District, during the absence of Mr. K. I. KARUNARATNE from the 10th to the 14th August, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 10th August, 1948.

No. 841 of 1948.

No. JRL. 40/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. SAM W. STEPHENS, Proctor S. C., Batticaloa, to act as President, Rural Court, Manmunai North, Manmunai South, Eruvil Poraitivu Pattus, Batticaloa District, during the absence of Mr. J. SITHARAM from the 9th to the 11th August, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 9th August, 1948.

No. 842 of 1948.

No. JRL. 34/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. S. S. NAMBIHAI, Proctor S. C., Badulla, to act as President, Rural Court, Yatikinda-Wiyaluwa, and Additional President, Rural Court, Udukinda, Badulla District, during the absence of Mr. C. B. RAMBUKOTA from the 5th to the 19th August, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 5th August, 1948.

No. 843 of 1948.

No. JRL. 43/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. D. CARL JAYATILLEKE, Proctor S. C., Ratnapura, to act as President, Rural Court, Atakalan and Kolonna Korales, Ratnapura District, during the absence of Mr. R. B. TAMBAGAMUWA from the 10th to the 14th August, 1948.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 10th August, 1948.

No. 844 of 1948.

BY virtue of the powers delegated to me in that behalf by the Honourable the Minister of Justice the following appointments have been made :—

No. JL/10/48.

Mr. T. F. BLAZE to be Additional District Judge, Badulla, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Badulla-Haldummulla, from the 10th to 13th August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. G. M. DE SILVA.

No. JL/40/48.

Mr. A. C. GOONERATNE to be Additional District Judge, Panadura, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Panadura, on the 16th August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. C. X. MARTYN.

No. JAA/4/48.

Mr. T. F. BLAZE to be Additional District Judge, Badulla, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Badulla-Haldummulla, from the 23rd to 27th August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. G. M. DE SILVA.

No. JL/28/48.

Mr. S. KANAGASABAI to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Gampola, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Dumbara, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, from the 19th to 22nd August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. C. J. C. JANSZ.

No. JL/23/48.

Mr. B. R. G. WIJEYEKOON to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Matale, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Dumbara, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, on the 14th August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. P. R. GUNASEKERA.

No. JL/41/48.

Mr. M. ESURAPADHAM to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Point Pedro, and Additional District Judge, Point Pedro, from the 5th to 10th August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. W. W. MUTTURAJAH.

No. JL/41/48.

Mr. M. ESURAPADHAM to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Point Pedro, and Additional District Judge, Point Pedro, on the 11th August, 1948, during the absence of Mr. W. W. MUTTURAJAH.

K. D. DE SILVA,

Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.

Office of the Judicial Service Commission,

P. O. Box 573,

Colombo, 10th August, 1948.

OTHER APPOINTMENTS.

No. 845 of 1948.

THE following transfers in the Civil Service take effect from the dates notified below :—

Mr. L. B. ABEYARATNE to act as Assistant Government Agent, Badulla, with effect from July 26, 1948.

Mr. A. EDWARD to be attached to the Office of the Land Commissioner, Colombo, with effect from August 2, 1948.

Mr. A. S. NAVARATNARAJAH to be attached to the Galle Kachcheri with effect from August 2, 1948.

Mr. V. J. H. GUNASEKERA to be attached to the Batticaloa Kachcheri with effect from August 2, 1948.

Mr. B. H. DE ZOYSA to be attached to the Trincomalee Kachcheri with effect from August 2, 1948.

Mr. G. M. SPARKES to be attached to the Ratnapura Kachcheri with effect from August 2, 1948.

C. E. JONES,

Secretary to the Treasury.

General Treasury,

Colombo, August 11, 1948.

No. 846 of 1948.

THE Honourable the Minister of Finance has, under section 2 of the Defence (Finance) Regulations, appointed Mr. A. J. JOSEPH, Cadet, C. C. S., to be an Assistant Controller of Exchange with effect from June 24, 1948.

C. E. JONES,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Finance.

General Treasury,

Colombo, August 2, 1948.

No. 847 of 1948.

No. 4/1/9 (MFG).

THE Honourable the Minister of Finance has been pleased to appoint the following seven gentlemen, under section 70 (1) of the Income Tax Ordinance (Chapter 188), to be members of the Board of Review for a period of three years from August 5, 1948 :—

M. FALLI ABDUL CAFFOOR, Esq.

STANLEY DIAS, Esq.

R. P. GADDUM, Esq.

A. H. MACAN-MARKAR, Esq.

T. W. ROBERTS, Esq.

WALDO SANSONI, Esq., O.B.E., V.D., J.P., U.M.

H. WIJENATHAN, Esq.

C. E. JONES,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Finance.

Colombo 1, August 5, 1948.

No. 848 of 1948.

No. G. 6/36/19.

THE Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. VICTOR ALBERT NICHOLAS to be a Justice of the Peace for the judicial district of Colombo with effect from the 3rd August, 1948, while holding the post of Assistant Postmaster-General.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 3rd August, 1948.

No. 849 of 1948.

THE Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. S. J. WALPITA to be a Justice of the Peace for the judicial district of Colombo with effect from the 1st July, 1948, while holding the post of Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Western Province.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 3rd August, 1948.

No. 850 of 1948.

No. G. 34/43/8.

THE Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. WIJAYA-BAHU WIJAYASINHA to be a Justice of the Peace for the Matara District with effect from the 3rd August, 1948.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 3rd August, 1948.

No. 851 of 1948.

No. G. 23/36/11.

THE Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. VAITILINGAM SATHASIVAMPILLAI ANNAMALAI to be a Justice of the Peace for the judicial district of Jaffna with effect from the 6th August, 1948, while holding the post of Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Northern Province.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 852 of 1948.

No. G. 11/43/2.

THE Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. S. A. SATHASIVAM, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), to be an Inquirer into Sudden Deaths for the Pooneryn Division of the Jaffna District, with effect from the 20th July, 1948, while holding the post of Temporary Udaiyar of the said division.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

No. 853 of 1948.

No. G. 16/43.

THE Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. S. A. PAUL, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), to act as an Inquirer for the Nanaddan East Division of the Mannar District with effect from the 3rd August, 1948, until the resumption of duties by Mr. S. M. SWANTHU.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,

Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 3rd August, 1948.

No. 854 of 1948.

No. G. 19/37/4.

THE Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr. S. M. SWANTHU to act as an Inquirer for Musali South Division of the Mannar District from the 6th August, 1948, until the resumption of duties by Mr. A. DURAISWAMY.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA,
Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.
Colombo, 6th August, 1948.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE CEYLON (PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1946.

IN the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 9 (1) of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, His Excellency the Governor-General has appointed for the Electoral Districts specified in column I. of the Schedule hereto the Assistant Registering Officers mentioned in the corresponding entry in column II. for the purposes of the 1948 revision of the registers of electors.

By His Excellency's command,

J. A. MULHALL,
Secretary to the Governor-General.
Colombo, August 6, 1948.

I.	Schedule.	II.
Electoral District.		Assistant Registering Officer.
No. 21.—Minipe		Mr. S. Maralande, Divisional Revenue Officer, Harispattu, Katugastota
		Mr. P. R. Dassanayake, Divisional Revenue Officer, Pata Dumbara, Katugastota
		Mr. P. Tennekoon, Divisional Revenue Officer, Pata Hewaheta, Ampitiya
		Mr. K. B. Ekanayake, Divisional Revenue Officer, Uda Bulathgama, Nawalapitiya
		Mr. L. B. Madurawe, Divisional Revenue Officer, Uda Palata, Gampola
		Mr. G. H. Abeygoonesekera, Divisional Revenue Officer, Uda Dumbara, Hunnasgiriya
No. 22.—Wattegama ..		do.
No. 23.—Kadugannawa ..		do.
No. 24.—Kandy ..		do.
No. 25.—Galaha ..		do.
No. 26.—Gampola ..		do.
No. 31.—Nawalapitiya ..		do.
No. 32.—Maskeliya ..		do.

No. 1/7/17. (MFG).

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION (GENERAL) No. 48/4.

The Customs Ordinance.

REGULATION made by the Minister of Finance by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 101 (1) of the Customs Ordinance (Chapter 185) as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

C. E. JONES,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Finance.
Colombo, August 3, 1948.

Regulation.

The regulations made under section 101 (1) of the Customs Ordinance and published in *Gazette* No. 8,751 of June 6, 1941, as last amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 9,565 of June 7, 1946, are hereby further amended:—

(1) by the substitution, for regulation 9, of the following regulation:—

"9 (1) Where any goods are loaded into any vehicle, the importer of the goods or his representative shall forthwith deliver or cause to be delivered to the driver or the person in charge of the vehicle a cart-note made in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (2) and signed by—

- (a) the representative of the landing company,
- (b) the importer or his representative, and
- (c) the driver or the person in charge of the vehicle.

(2) Every cart-note referred to in paragraph (1) shall—

- (a) be not less than four inches in length and four inches in breadth,

- (b) be in the form set out in the Schedule hereto, and
- (c) contain particulars of the matters specified therein.

(3) Before a cart-note is delivered to the driver or the person in charge of any vehicle under paragraph (1), the importer of the goods or his representative shall produce such note to the Landing Waiter for his signature or, if the goods are removed from one warehouse to another within the Customs premises, for his initials, and for the insertion of the time and date of production.

(4) The driver or the person in charge of any vehicle into which any goods have been loaded shall not, until he has the cart-note in his possession, move the vehicle from the place of loading except on the instructions or with the permission of a Customs Officer.

(5) It shall be the duty of the driver or the person in charge of any vehicle into which goods are loaded to stack the goods in the vehicle in such manner as to facilitate the counting of, and the checking of the marks and numbers on, the goods.

(6) It shall be the duty of the driver and the person in charge of any vehicle to take all steps necessary to ensure that no goods other than those described in the cart-note are conveyed in that vehicle.

(7) The driver or the person in charge of any vehicle into which goods have been loaded shall, before the vehicle leaves the Customs premises, deliver the cart-note to the Customs Officer at the exit gate"; and

(2) by the addition, at the end of those regulations, of the following Schedule:—

"Schedule.

Form of cart-note.
(Regulation 9)

Cart Note.
රථ සටහන.
வண்டி, சட்டம்.

No : _____
අංකය : _____
இலக்கம் : _____
Date : _____
දිනය : _____
தேதி : _____

Consignee : _____
බඩු අයිතිකරු : _____
தருவிப்பவா : _____

Ship : _____
නැව් නම : _____
கப்பல் : _____

Warehouse : _____
ගුදම : _____
குதம் : _____

Entry No : _____
ඇන්ට්‍රිස් අංකය : _____
திரைவுப் பத்திர இலக்கம் : _____

Lorry No. : _____
ලොරි අංකය : _____
வொறி இலக்கம் : _____

Cart
රථ අංකය : _____
வண்டி இலக்கம் : _____

Marks & Numbers : _____
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விபரம் : _____

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மொத்த உருப்படி இலக்கத்தில்

Total number of packages in words : _____
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மொத்த உருப்படி எழுத்தில்

Storekeeper.
ගුදමේ බඩු භාරකරු.
களஞ்சியப் பொறுப்பாளி.

I certify that cargo as above only was loaded.
 පැටව්වේ මෙහි ඉහත සඳහන් බඩු පමණක් බව
 මෙයින් සහතික කරමි.
 மேற்கூறிய சரக்கு மட்டும் ஏற்றியிருப்பதாக நான் உறுதி
 செய்கிறேன்.

Landing Company's Representative. බඩුබාන කොම්පැනියේ අධිකාරී හෝ නියෝජිත නැත.	Importer or his Representative. බඩුගේ නියෝජිත නැත.	Driver or person in charge of vehicle. රියකරු හෝ බඩු වෙනුවට පෙනී සිටින අය.
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Landing Waiter.
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 திகதியும் நேரமும்.

Name of Tidewater checking vehicle : _____
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Customs Officer in charge of the Exit Gate.
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No. 144/1/4 (ET/D).

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Minutes of Pensions, it is hereby notified that the holders of the offices specified below are entitled to pension with effect from January 1, 1947 :—

Public Works Department :

Registered Overseers.
 Special Overseers and Unregistered Overseers with ten years continuous service.

General :

Liftmen.
 Engineering and Factory Labour :

Unskilled.
 Semi-skilled—Grade II
 „ Grade I
 Skilled —Grade II
 „ Grade I
 Supervisory—Grade II
 „ Grade I

Agricultural and Field Labour :

Unskilled.
 Semi-skilled.
 Skilled or Supervisory—Grade II
 „ Grade I

General Treasury,
 Colombo, August 10, 1948.

C. E. JONES,
 Secretary to the Treasury.

G. 85/48.

EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO GRADE II. OF THE EXECUTIVE CLERICAL CLASS OF THE GENERAL CLERICAL SERVICE.

Date of Examination—

1. A competitive examination for promotion to Grade II. of the Executive Clerical Class of the General Clerical Service will be held in all Kacheheri stations on October 30, 1948, on the terms set out in Sessional Papers XII. and XVII. of 1945.

Salary and Conditions of Service—

2. (a) Successful candidates will be appointed to Grade II. of the Executive Clerical Class of the General Clerical Service on the scale Rs. 1,440 per annum rising by annual increments of Rs. 120 to Rs. 3,480 per annum. In this scale an efficiency bar operates before Rs. 2,640 per annum. Rent allowance will be payable.

(b) Successful candidates who do not already hold pensionable appointments will be appointed on two years'

probation. All successful candidates will be liable to transfer and may be posted to any station in Ceylon. They will be subject to the Public Service, Financial and other standing Regulations of the Government.

3. There will be approximately 195 vacancies. This number is provisional and subject to revision when the Estimates for 1948/49 are passed. Ten per cent. of the vacancies will be filled by merit promotions.

The names of the successful candidates will be published in the *Government Gazette*.

Applications—

4. Applications for admission to the examination must be addressed to the Director of Education, Examinations Branch, Boathouse, Colombo, on forms which may be obtained from his office up to September 1, 1948.

5. Applications must be sent by registered post to reach the Director of Education, Examinations Branch, Boathouse, Colombo, not later than 12 noon on September 25, 1948. Any applications received after that hour will be rejected.

6. The Director of Education will return those applications which are approved to the candidates concerned. Such applications will constitute the candidates' tickets of admission to the examination. Candidates presenting themselves for the examination must produce to the officer appointed to supervise the examination their forms of application approved by the Director of Education. A candidate not producing such a form will be refused admittance to the examination.

Eligibility—

7. The following candidates *only* will be eligible to take the examination—

- (a) Clerks in the General Clerical Class of the General Clerical Service who complete 4 years' satisfactory service in the General Clerical Class on or before October 1, 1948. Applications from such clerks should be forwarded through the Heads of Departments and should be accompanied by certificates of satisfactory service.
- (b) *Clerks who were in Government Service or in the Rubber or Tea Control Departments prior to August 1, 1935 (other than members of the Customs, Postal, Survey, Harbour Engineer's or Railway Departments) from whatever funds they may have been paid, who were at that time clerks in Government Service as defined by section 11 of Appendix A to the Public Service Regulations (since cancelled) *who have retained the same status*, and whose services during the last three years have been satisfactory. Their applications must be forwarded by their Heads of Departments and must be accompanied by a certificate of satisfactory service and by a certificate of continuous employment from July, 1935, up to date.
- (c) Chief Headmen who were previously in Class III. of the General Clerical Service.

N.B.—Persons not in Government Service are not eligible to sit for the examination.

8. Heads of Departments are required to grant to officers of their Departments, whose applications have been returned to them approved by the Director of Education, leave to present themselves at the examination. Travelling expenses are not payable.

Subjects—

9. The subjects of the examination are as follows :—
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| | Marks. |
| (1) Accounts (One and a half hour paper)
The paper will consist of questions in accounts, tots, &c., and will be designed to test accuracy in handling figures and a knowledge of simple fundamental rules of accounts. | 100 |
| (2) Regulations, procedure and office systems (Two hours paper)
The paper will be designed to test an officer's usefulness and competence as a clerk. He may be required to make a precis of an actual series of official letters, to submit a draft letter in terms of an order, to show a knowledge of index system, filing, &c., and to have the ability to express himself clearly on paper. | 200 |
| (3) <i>Viva voce</i> test | 70 |

* "Clerks in Government Service" as defined by section 11 of Appendix A to the Public Service Regulations include—

- (a) temporary clerks and bookbinders and storekeepers whose duties are mainly clerical, who are employed in a temporary or permanent Government Department and paid from votes in the Government Estimates. Provided that where such temporary officers are daily paid they must be continuously and not sporadically employed ;
- (b) clerks and bookbinders and storekeepers whose duties are mainly clerical employed in any Government Department and paid from recognized and approved fees ;
- (c) clerks paid from Village Committee, Village Tribunals, Sanitary Board, District School Committee and Education District Committee funds.

10. The examination will be held in two parts. The written examination will be held in all Kachcheri stations. Any candidate who fails to obtain a minimum of 50 per cent. of the marks in each subject will not be considered for the *viva voce* test which will be held in Colombo. The number to be called for the *viva voce* test will be fixed by the Deputy Secretary to the Treasury in consultation with the Director of Education. In all written papers marks will be deducted for bad writing and mistakes in spelling. Candidates whose writing is illegible are liable to be disqualified.

11. The Time Table of the Examination will be as follows:—

10 A.M.—12 noon	.. Regulations, procedure and office systems
2 P.M.—3.30 P.M.	.. Accounts

Medical Examination—

12. Successful candidates who are not already in the General Clerical Service will be required to pass a medical examination as to their physical fitness in any part of the Island.

T. D. PERERA,
Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.
General Treasury,
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

G. 72/48.

EXAMINATION FOR STENOGRAPHERS
(LOWER GRADE) SPECIAL, 1948.

WITH reference to the notification dated July 20, 1948, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 9,888 of July 23, 1948, it is hereby notified that female candidates recruited on the results of this examination will be appointed to the Lower Grade of the Transferable Stenographers' Service on a Provident Fund Basis.

T. D. PERERA,
Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.
General Treasury,
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

L. D.—B 56/47.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 32 OF 1946.

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Agriculture and Lands under sections 3, 5 and 116 of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, [as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947], and approved by the Senate and the House of Representatives.

A. G. RANASINHA,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Agriculture and Lands.
Colombo, 10th August, 1948.

Regulations.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the District Agricultural Committees Regulations, 1948.

2. (1) The holders of the following offices in each revenue district shall be members of the Committee constituted for that district under section 3 of the Ordinance:—

- (a) Member or Members of Parliament for the electoral district or districts which fall partly or wholly within the revenue district.
- (b) Divisional Agricultural Officer or Officers whose division or divisions fall partly or wholly within the revenue district.
- (c) Divisional Irrigation Engineer or Engineers whose division or divisions fall partly or wholly within the revenue district.
- (d) Irrigation Engineer, if any, in charge of the Village Works Sub-Division of the Province of which the revenue district forms part.
- (e) Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies.
- (f) Marketing Officer.
- (g) Land Development Officer.
- (h) Chief Headman or Divisional Revenue Officer of each revenue division of the district.

(2) The interests of each of the classes of cultivation set out in column 1 hereunder shall be represented in the Committee of each revenue district in which the total aggregate extent of such cultivation exceeds the acreage set out in the corresponding item in column 2:—

Column 1. Cultivation.	Column 2. Acreage.
Tea .. .. .	.. 10,000
Rubber .. .. .	.. 15,000
Coconut .. .. .	.. 10,000
Paddy .. .. .	.. 4,000

Each such class shall be represented by one member nominated by the Government Agent.

3. (1) Every nominated member shall, unless he vacates office earlier, hold office for a period of three years, from the date of his nomination.

(2) Any nominated member shall be deemed to vacate his office if, without the leave of the Committee, he is absent from three consecutive meetings of the Committee.

(3) On the expiry of the term of office of any member or on the vacation of office by a member under this regulation, he shall be eligible for re-election.

4. (1) Every Committee shall meet at least once in three months.

(2) The first ordinary meeting shall be held at such place and time as may be appointed by the Chairman. Ordinary meetings after the first meeting shall be held at such places and times as the Committee may determine.

5. There shall be a Secretary to each Committee. The Secretary shall be appointed by the Chairman.

6. (1) The Secretary shall give to each member at least ten days' notice of every ordinary meeting and of the business to be transacted thereat.

(2) No business which a member desires to discuss at an ordinary meeting shall be included in the agenda for that meeting unless notice of such business has been given by that member to the Secretary at least fourteen days before the date of that meeting and unless such business has been approved by the Chairman.

7. (1) A special meeting may be convened by the Chairman whenever he considers it desirable.

(2) A special meeting shall be convened by the Chairman whenever a written requisition in that behalf is presented to him signed by five members. The business to be transacted at such special meeting shall be specified in such requisition.

(3) Not less than seven days' notice of a special meeting shall be given to the members.

8. A Committee shall have power to act notwithstanding any vacancy in the membership thereof.

9. At any meeting five members (excluding the Chairman and the Secretary) shall constitute a quorum.

10. In the absence of the Government Agent or the Assistant Government Agent from any meeting, a member elected by a majority of the members present shall preside at the meeting.

11. Any question proposed for decision at any meeting shall be determined by a majority of votes of the members present and voting.

12. The Chairman or other presiding member shall have an original vote. If the votes cast be equally divided he shall also have a casting vote.

13. The business at any meeting shall be conducted in English, unless the Committee, by resolution, decides otherwise.

14. (1) The Secretary shall keep minutes of the proceedings of every meeting.

(2) The minutes of each meeting shall, when confirmed, be authenticated by the signature of the Chairman or other presiding member.

(3) The Secretary shall transmit a copy of the confirmed minutes to the Minister of Agriculture and Lands and to the Secretary to the Central Board of Agriculture.

15. Any notice required by these regulations to be given to any person may be given—

- (a) by the delivery thereof to such person, or
- (b) by the delivery thereof at the usual place of abode or business of such person in a cover addressed to such person, or
- (c) by the despatch thereof by post in a letter addressed to such person at his usual place of abode or business.

16. In these regulations—

- “Chairman” means the Chairman of a Committee;
- “Committee” means a District Agricultural Committee;
- “meeting” means a meeting of a Committee;
- “member” means a member of a Committee; and
- “Ordinance” means the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

THE FOOD CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Order No. 158.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), read with regulation 2 of the Defence (Food and Price Control) (Transfer of Powers) Regulations, 1942, [which continues in force by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946] as modified by the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Abeyaratne Ratnayake, Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, do by this Order prohibit the transport or removal of any quantity of red onions from the areas specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto except under the authority of a permit issued by or on behalf of the person mentioned in the corresponding entry in the second column of that Schedule or otherwise than in accordance with such conditions as may be attached to such permit.

A. RATNAYAKE,
Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings.
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

Column 1. Area.	Schedule.	Column 2. Person by whom permit may be issued.
1. Jaffna Peninsula ..	Government Agent, Northern Province, Deputy Food Controller	
2. Vavuniya District ..	Assistant Government Agent, Vavuniya, Deputy Food Controller	

THE FOOD CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Order No. 159.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) (d) of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), read with regulation 2 of the Defence (Food and Price Control) (Transfer of Powers) Regulations, 1942, [which continues in force by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946] as modified by the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Abeyaratne Ratnayake, Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, do by this Order prohibit the removal from the Customs premises at any port or place mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto, of any rice, paddy, wheat, wheat flour or kurakkan which is imported into Ceylon, except under a permit issued by the person mentioned in the corresponding entry in the second column of that Schedule, and except in accordance with such directions as he may issue in regard to the time at which, the manner in which and the place to which such rice, paddy, wheat, wheat flour or kurakkan may be so removed.

A. RATNAYAKE,

Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings.

Colombo, August 10, 1948.

Column 1. Port or Place.	Schedule.	Column 2. Person by whom permit may be issued.
Colombo	Food Controller	
Galle	Government Agent, Southern Province, Deputy Food Controller	
Jaffna Kankasanturai Kayts Point Pedro Valvettiturai Trincomalee	Government Agent, Northern Province, Deputy Food Controller	
Talaimannar	Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, Deputy Food Controller	
Batticaloa	Government Agent, Eastern Province, Deputy Food Controller	
Beruwala	Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, Deputy Food Controller	

THE FOOD CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Order No. 160.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) (e) of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), read with regulation 2 of the Defence (Food and Price Control) (Transfer of Powers) Regulations, 1942, [which continues in force by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946] as modified by the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Abeyaratne Ratnayake, Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, do by this Order assume control of the granary specified in the Schedule hereto.

A. RATNAYAKE,

Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings.
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

Schedule.

The Chalmers Granary, Colombo.

THE FOOD CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Order No. 161.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) (g) of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), read with regulation 2 of the Defence (Food and Price Control) (Transfer of Powers) Regulations, 1942, [which continues in force by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946] as modified by the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Abeyaratne Ratnayake, Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, do by this Order direct the Food Controller to

take steps for the allocation of supplies of paddy or other grain or any preparation made mainly or wholly from such grain to merchants and distributors in all parts of Ceylon and to organise and administer a system of rationing such supplies on and after the date hereof.

A. RATNAYAKE,

Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings.
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

No. T 5/2 L.

THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE, NO. 27 OF 1941.

Order under Section 8.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 8 of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, I, Tuan Brahanudeen Jayah, Minister of Labour and Social Services, do by this Order establish a Wages Board for the Cinema Trade more fully described in the Order made under section 6 of that Ordinance and published in *Gazette* No. 9,859 of April 30, 1948, or in any amending Order which may hereafter be made.

T. B. JAYAH,

Minister of Labour and Social Services.
Colombo, August 9, 1948.

No. T 5/2 L.

THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE.

IT is hereby notified under regulation 26 of the Wages Boards Regulations, 1943, that under section 9 of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, the Honourable Minister of Labour and Social Services has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be members of the Cinema Trade Wages Board established under that Ordinance.

C. J. DANE-LANKTREE,
Permanent Secretary.Ministry of Labour and Social Services,
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

The Cinema Trade Wages Board.

Nominated Members—

Dr. B. A. R. D. Joseph
Mr. S. L. B. Kapukotuwa
Mr. Z. D. Musafar.

Representatives of the Employers—

Mr. A. Mohideen Cader
Mr. P. C. S. Fernando
Mr. S. Sellamuttu
Mr. H. Van Starrex.

Representatives of the Workers—

Dr. N. M. Perera
Mr. V. Ponnudurai
Mr. A. Rodrigues
Mr. W. A. Sovis.

IT is hereby notified that the officers mentioned in the Schedule below have been appointed under section 3 of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132) to be Assistant Food Controllers for the purposes of the Ordinance.

M. L. D. CASPERSZ,

Food Commissioner (Control and Distribution).
Colombo, August 7, 1948.

Schedule.

Name of Officer.	Date of Appointment.
E. J. S. de S. Wijeyaratne	.. July 1, 1948
K. Arulanandan	.. July 5, 1948
N. W. H. D. Gunaratne	.. July 31, 1948

THE CEYLON (PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS)
ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1946.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 16 (2) of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, I, Velupillai Coomaraswamy, Commissioner of Parliamentary Elections, do by this notification appoint the dates respectively specified in Column II of the Schedule hereto as the dates on or before which each of the Registering Officers specified in the corresponding entry in Column I of that Schedule shall, in the year 1948, revise the register of electors of his electoral district or electoral districts.

V. COOMARASWAMY,

Commissioner of Parliamentary Elections.
Colombo, August 12, 1948.

Schedule.

I.		II.	
Registering Officers.		Dates.	
1.	Registrar-General ..	October	31
2.	Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara ..	September	1
3.	Assistant Government Agent, Matale ..	August	31
4.	Government Agent, Central Province ..	October	31
5.	Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya ..	October	30
6.	Government Agent, Southern Province ..	September	1
7.	Assistant Government Agent, Matara ..	August	31
8.	Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota ..	October	15
9.	Government Agent, Northern Province ..	September	15
10.	Assistant Government Agent, Vavuniya ..	August	31
11.	Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee ..	September	30
12.	Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam ..	August	30
13.	Government Agent, North-Western Province ..	September	30
14.	Government Agent, North-Central Province ..	August	31
15.	Government Agent, Province of Uva ..	October	31
16.	Assistant Government Agent, Kegalla ..	September	10
17.	Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa ..	September	30

THE RUBBER (NEW PLANTING) (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) ORDINANCE, No. 59 OF 1946.

Additional List of Approved Clonal Seeds.

IN terms of section 2 of the Rubber (New Planting) (Special Provisions) Ordinance, No. 59 of 1946, the following additional list of approved clonal seeds is hereby notified:—

Source.	Variety.
Eheliyagoda Group, Eheliyagoda	Tj. 1, BD. 5, GL. 1 and PB. 86 from approved Monoclonal blocks
Ederapolla Estate, Bulathkohupitiya	PB. 86 from approved Monoclonal block
Degalessa Group, Yatiyantota	Tj. 1, Tj. 16, Pil. B. 84, PB. 86, GL. 1 and BD. 10 from approved Monoclonal plantings
Palm Garden Group, Ratnapura	Tj. 1 and Tj. 16 from approved Monoclonal areas on Kosgolla and Duhallow Divisions of the estate.
	P.B. 86, Pil. B. 84, Tj. 1, A.V. 163, AV. 157, BR. 2 and PR. 107 from Polyclone Block on Karapincha Division of the estate

S. CASINATHAN,
Acting Rubber Controller.

Office of the Rubber Controller,
P. O. Box 184,
Colombo 1, August 5, 1948.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 1, 1948, for construction of Manager's Quarters, Unichchai State Chena at Unichchai.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Batticaloa, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 27, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works, on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Batticaloa, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, for the construction of Coagulation Tank, Aeration Chamber, &c.; Filter House &c.; Water Purification Plant; Wash Water Tank; Pipes Specials, &c.; Staff Quarters and Latrine, Hambantota Water Supply.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Hambantota, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 27, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for water works and building works on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Hambantota, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 100 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 1, 1948, for additions and improvements to Tebuwana Police station.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Kalutara, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 27, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works, on production to the Executive Engineer, Kalutara, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipts.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, for construction of Dispensary and Apothecary's Quarters at Titagonawa.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Vavuniya, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, September 3, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works, on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Vavuniya, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 100 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, for water supply to Anamadawa Hospital.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Anuradhapura, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, September 3, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for water works, on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Anuradhapura of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 3, 1948, for construction of six Laboratory Assistants Quarters Kurundugodella, Galaha Road, University Scheme, Peradeniya.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Resident Engineer, University Scheme, Peradeniya, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, September 3, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works, on production to the Resident Engineer, U. S., Peradeniya, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 200 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Resident Engineer, U. S., Peradeniya, along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Resident Engineer, from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 1, 1948, for proposed additional bed room to nurses quarters, Ingiriya Hospital.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Kalutara, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 27, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works, on production to the Executive Engineer, Kalutara, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer, from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 1, 1948, for construction of a dispensary and apothecary's quarters at Thotama.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Kalmunai, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 27, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works,

on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Kalmunai, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 50 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 2.30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 1, 1948, for constructing a farm school at Ambepussa Farm, Kegalla District.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Kegalla, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 27, 1948, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Kegalla, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 100 at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo.

4. Intending tenderers who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of progress of works in hand from the respective Superintending Engineers in sufficient time and submit them to the Executive Engineer along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit will be returned until the specification and agreement issued with the tender forms have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

Education Department.

TENDERS will be received by the Education Officer, Western Province, General's Lake road, Slave Island, up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 24, 1948, for the under-mentioned works:—

- K1/Galpatha S. M. S. : Extension.
- C/Nikahetikande S. M. S. : Semi-permanent replacement.
- C/Veyangoda Central School : Repairs.
- C/Kirigampamunuwa S. M. S. : Two latrines (pit-type).

Abbreviations—

K1/=Kalutara.
C/=Colombo.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Education Officer, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Application for tender forms will be entertained from registered contractors of the Education Department residing or having their principal place of business in the Western Province.

4. A deposit of Rs. 5 for each work should be made at a Kachcheri or at the Education Office, Galle Face, Colombo, and a receipt should be obtained and forwarded before any tender form can be issued. Cheques, Money Orders, Postal Orders, &c., will not be accepted. The receipt should bear the full name of the tenderer. Application for tender forms should reach the Education Officer before 12 noon on Friday, August 20, 1948.

Education Office, W. P., S. W. SAHABANDU,
General's Lake road, Education Officer, W.P.
Slave Island.

Education Department.

SEALED tenders will be received by the Education Officer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Education Office, Ratnapura, up to 12 noon on Friday, August 27, 1948, for the undermentioned work:—

R/Ketapola S. M. S.—Urgent repairs.

Abbreviation: R/=Ratnapura

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Education Officer, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Application for tender forms will be entertained from registered contractors of the Education Department residing or having their principal place of business in the Province in which the school is situated.

4. A deposit of Rs. 5 for each work should be made at a Kachcheri or at the Education Office, Galle Face, Colombo, and a receipt should be obtained and forwarded before any tender form can be issued. Cheques, Money Orders, Postal Orders, &c., will not be accepted. The receipt should bear the full name of the tenderer. Applications for tender forms should reach the Education Officer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, before 12 noon on Friday, August 20, 1948.

Education Office, L. L. K. GUNATUNGA,
Ratnapura, August 6, 1948. Education Officer, Sab. P.

Education Department.

TENDERS will be received by the Education Officer, Southern Province, Galle, up to 12 noon on Monday, August 23, 1948, for the undermentioned works:—

- (1) MR/Talpawila S. G. School—Repairs.
- (2) MR/Bopagoda S. M. School—Repairs.
- (3) G/Keembiya S. B. School—Repairs.
- (4) G/Weihera S. M. School—Repairs.
- (5) G/Hikkaduwa Central School—Repairs.
- (6) G/Garnini College—Repairs.
- (7) G/Revatha Vidyalaya—Repairs.

Abbreviations.

MR=Matarra District.
G=Galle District.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Education Officer, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Application for tender forms will be entertained from registered contractors of the Education Department residing or having their principal place of business in the Province in which the school is situated.

4. A deposit of Rs. 5 for each work should be made at a Kachcheri or at the Education Office, Galle Face, Colombo, and a receipt should be obtained and forwarded before any tender form can be issued. Cheques, Money Orders, Postal Orders, &c., will not be accepted. The receipt should bear the full name of the tenderer. Applications for tender forms should reach the Education Officer, Southern Province, before 12 noon on Friday, August 20, 1948.

Education Office, A. WEERASINGHE,
Galle, August 6, 1948. Education Officer, S. P.

Education Department.

THE Director of Education, Secretariat building, Colombo 1, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on August 24, 1948, for the undermentioned work:—

Construction of a masonry well for Ku/Pambuwaterawana Government Junior School in Wannu hatpattu, Kurunegala District.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Education Officer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

Application for tender forms will be entertained from contractors registered with the Education Department.

A deposit of Rs. 5 should be made at a Kachcheri or at the Education Office, Galle Face, Colombo, and a receipt should be obtained and forwarded before a tender form can be issued. Cheques, Money Orders, Postal Orders, &c., will not be accepted.

Tender forms will not be issued after 12 noon on Friday, August 20, 1948.

Education Office, S. P. SATCUNAN,
Kurunegala, August 9, 1948. Education Officer, N.-W. P.

Education Department.

TENDERS will be received by the Acting Education Officer, Province of Uva, Badulla, up to 12 noon on Friday, August 20, 1948, for the undermentioned works:—

- Bd/Moratuwa S. M. S.—Repairs.
Bd/Rattnadeniya S. M. S.—Well.
Bd/Hembarawa S. M. S.—Replacement.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Acting Education Officer, Province of Uva, Badulla, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Application for tender forms will be entertained only from registered contractors of the Education Department, residing or having their principal place of business in the Province of Uva.

4. A deposit of Rs. 5 for each work should be made at a Kachcheri, or at the Education Office, Galle Face, Colombo, and a receipt should be obtained and forwarded before any tender forms can be issued. Cheques, Money Orders, Postal Orders, &c., will not be accepted. The receipt should bear the full name and postal address of the tenderer. Application for tender forms should reach the Acting Education Officer, Province of Uva, Badulla, before 12 noon on Tuesday, August 17, 1948.

Education Office, D. A. WIJAYASINGHA,
Badulla, August 10, 1948. Acting Education Officer, U. P.

Food Department.

Sale of Wheat Grinding Machine and Wheat Cleaning Machine and Motor.

SEALED tenders marked on the cover "Tender for Grinding Machinery" will be received by me up to 12 noon on Wednesday, August 18, 1948, for:—

- (a) the purchase and removal of the Wheat Cleaning machine and motor which are the property of this Department now lying at the B. C. C. premises at Hulftsdorp street;
- (b) for the purchase and removal of the Wheat Grinding Mill lying in storage at the Government Factory.

Tenderers should deposit 5 per cent. of the amount tendered as a deposit with their tender, by Cheque or Money Order in favour of the Director of Food Supplies, which amount will be refunded if the tender is not accepted. It will be forfeited if the tender is accepted and the balance amount is unpaid within 14 days of the acceptance of the tender.

The machinery may be inspected by arrangement with the Manager of the B. C. C. Mills or the Factory Engineer as the case may be by intending tenderers or their authorised representatives. Tenders may be either handed to me in person or sent to me by registered post to be received by me before the closing date stated above.

Department of Food Supplies, K. ALVAPPILLAI,
Union Place, Director of Food Supplies,
Colombo, July 28, 1948.

Food Department.

Sale of Worcester Sauce.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of 2,773 cases of Worcester Sauce each case containing 48 bottles of 9½ ozs., manufactured by Pick-me-up Condiment Co., Ltd., Australia.

2. All tenders should be in sealed cover, and should be addressed to:—

The Chairman, Tender Board,
Ministry of Food & Co-operative Undertakings,
Union Place,
Colombo 2.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Permanent Secretary to the Minister of Food & Co-operative Undertakings or be sent through the post under registered cover.

4. Tenders should be marked "TENDER FOR WORCESTER SAUCE" in the left hand top corner of the envelope and should reach the Chairman, Tender Board, not later than 12 noon on Tuesday, August 17, 1948.

5. Further particulars as regards forms of tender, deposit required and other conditions can be obtained on application at the Office of the Director of Food Supplies.

K. ALVAPPILLAI,
Director of Food Supplies.

Department of Food Supplies,
Union Place,
Colombo 2, July 30, 1948.

Tender for Transport of Foodstuffs.

THE Chairman, Local Tender Board, Kachcheri, Badulla, will receive sealed tenders up to 12 noon on August 28, 1948, for the transport of rice, paddy, flour and whole wheat and other foodstuffs between the Railway stations and the Government rice stores at Haputale, Bandarawela, Ella, Hali-ela and Badulla, including unloading from Railway wagons, loading into lorries or other conveyance, transport from the stations to the different overflow stores, unloading from lorries and stacking at the overflow stores from October 1, 1948, to September 30, 1949.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on deposit of Rs. 25 in respect of each tender with the Deputy Food Controller, Badulla, from whom further particulars and conditions of tender can be had.

The Kachcheri,
Badulla, August 6, 1948.

D. P. M. WIJEYADORU,
for Deputy Food Controller.

TENDERS are hereby invited for—

1. A.—Unloading and stacking bags of rice, wheat flour and other foodstuffs from Food Control and private lorries at Darlin Villa Stores, Kalutara North; Beatrix Villa Stores, Kalutara North; Store No. 99, Main street, Kalutara North; Store No. 120, Main street, Kalutara North, and Urban Council store, Kalutara South.

B.—Transporting from the Goods shed at Kalutara South to Darlin Villa Stores, Kalutara North, Beatrix Villa Stores, Kalutara North; Store No. 99, Main street, Kalutara North, and Store No. 120, Main street, Kalutara North, bags of rice, wheat flour and other foodstuffs.

C.—Transporting from the Goods shed at Kalutara South to Urban Council Store, Kalutara South, bags of rice, wheat flour and other foodstuffs for the period October 1, 1948, to September 30, 1949.

2. Rates per ton should be quoted for the above services. Rates quoted for transport should include cost of unloading from Railway Trucks into lorries or carts at the Railway Goods shed, Kalutara South, unloading and stacking at the stores mentioned in paragraphs 1 B and 1 C above.

3. The rates should be given in figures as well as in words. Where the rate given in figures differs from the rate in words, or no rate is stated in words, the tender is liable to rejection.

4. All tenders should be sealed and addressed to—

“The Chairman of the Local Tender Board,
The Kachcheri, Kalutara”.

5. Tenders should be submitted for each individual item of work. Any tenderer should submit tenders for all the 3 items of work. If this requirement is not complied with, the tender or tenders will be rejected. Tenders should be marked “Tenders for transport, loading, unloading and stacking of rice, &c., at Kalutara” at the top left hand corner of the envelope and should reach the Chairman of the Local Tender Board not later than 2 P.M. on September 3, 1948. Tenders should either be deposited at the Kalutara Kachcheri Tender Box or sent through the post under registered cover to the address mentioned in paragraph 4 above. Tenders should also be on the prescribed form obtainable at the Food Control Department of the Kalutara Kachcheri, on a deposit of Rs. 10 a receipt for which deposit should be attached to the tender.

6. Wagons containing Food Control Stocks at the Railway station should be released within ten working hours of their arrival. Failure to comply with this requirement will render the successful tenderer liable to pay demurrage at prescribed Railway rates if the failure can be attributed to any delay on his part or in the part of any of his agents. The decision of the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, on this point will be final.

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. The work is to be undertaken on an agreement to be entered into by the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, and the contractor on the basis of accepted tendered schedule of rates. The agreement must bear a five rupees stamp to be supplied by the contractor.

10. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security a sum of rupees one thousand only (Rs. 1,000) before the commencement of the contract.

11. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract when applying for tender forms should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving his full name, and permanent address stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and the extent of

other interests should also be given. A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts. A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

12. Any other particulars can be obtained from the Food Control Department, Kachcheri, Kalutara, between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. on week days and 9 A.M. and 12 noon on Saturdays.

Chairman, Local Tender Board,
August 10, 1948. and Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara.

Tenders for Transport and Unloading of Foodstuffs at the Panadure Supply Station.

TENDERS are hereby invited for—

(i.) Unloading and transport from the Railway Goods Shed at Panadure to the Overflow Stores (Rankot Vihare, Panadure, and U. C. Grain Stores, Panadure), bags of rice, flour, &c., of the following sizes:—

(a) 112 measure bags,	(e) 196 lb.
(b) 80 ,,	(f) 150 ,,
(c) 64 ,,	(g) 140 ,,
(d) 48 ,,	(h) 100 ,,

(Rates quoted for transport include the cost of unloading from the Railway trucks into lorries or carts at the Railway Goods Shed, unloading into the Overflow Stores, and stacking at the Overflow Stores).

(ii.) Unloading from Food Control and private lorries and stacking at the Overflow Stores, bags of the above sizes.

for the period October 1, 1948 to September 30, 1949.

2. The rates should be given in figures as well as in words. Where the rate given in figures differs from the rate in words, or no rate is stated in words, the tender is liable to rejection.

3. All tenders should be sealed under one cover and should be addressed to—

“The Chairman of the Local Tender Board,
The Kachcheri, Kalutara”.

4. Tenders should be marked “Tenders for transport of rice, flour, &c., at Panadure” on the top left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Local Tender Board, Kachcheri, Kalutara, not later than 2 P.M., on September 3, 1948.

5. Tenders should either be deposited at the Kachcheri Tender Box or sent through the post under registered cover.

6. Tenders should be made on a form which will be supplied on application at the Food Control Branch, Kachcheri, Kalutara, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognised form. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 10 (rupees ten only) will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, Kalutara, and the receipt for same produced before the form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract or fail to furnish the required security within 10 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

8. Wagons containing Food Control stocks at the Railway Station should be released within ten working hours of their arrival. Failure to comply with this requirement will render the successful tenderer liable to pay demurrage at prescribed Railway rates if the failure can be attributed to any delay on his part or in the part of any of his agents. The decision of the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, on this point will be final.

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

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. The work is to be undertaken on an agreement to be entered into by the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, and the contractor on the basis of accepted tendered schedule of rates. The agreement must bear a five rupees stamp to be supplied by the contractor.

12. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security a sum of rupees five hundred only (Rs. 500) before the commencement of the contract.

13. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract, when applying for tender forms should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving his full name and permanent address stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and the extent of other interests should also be given.

A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts.

A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

14. Any other particulars can be obtained from the Food Control Department, Kachcheri, Kalutara, between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. on week days and 9 A.M. and 12 noon on Saturdays.

August 10, 1948. Chairman, Local Tender Board and Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara.

Tenders for unloading of Foodstuffs at the Horana Supply Station.

TENDERS are hereby invited for unloading from Food Control and private lorries and stacking at the Food Control Stores at Horana bags of rice, flour, &c., of the following sizes:—

(a) 112 measure bags	(e) 196 lb.
(b) 80 measure bags	(f) 150 lb.
(c) 64 measure bags	(g) 140 lb.
(d) 48 measure bags	(h) 100 lb.

for the period October 1, 1948, to September 30, 1949.

2. The rates should be given in figures as well as in words. Where the rate given in figures differs from the rate in words, or no rate is stated in words, the tender is liable to rejection.

3. All tenders should be sealed under one cover and should be addressed to—

“The Chairman of the Local Tender Board,
The Kachcheri, Kalutara.”

4. Tenders should be marked “Tenders for unloading of foodstuffs at the Horana Supply Station” on the top left-hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Local Tender Board, Kachcheri, Kalutara, not later than 2 P.M., on September 3, 1948.

5. Tenders should either be deposited at the Kachcheri Tender Box or sent through the post under registered cover.

6. Tenders should be made on a form which will be supplied on application at the Food Control Branch, Kachcheri, Kalutara, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 10 (rupees ten only) will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, Kalutara, and the receipt for same produced before the form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract or fail to furnish the required security within 10 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

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

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

10. The work is to be undertaken on an agreement to be entered into by the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, and the contractor on the basis of accepted tendered schedule of rates. The agreement must bear a five rupees stamp to be supplied by the contractor.

11. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security a sum of rupees five hundred only (Rs. 500) before the commencement of the contract.

12. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract when applying for tender forms should furnish the officer issuing the form with a written statement giving his full name and permanent address stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and the extent of other interests should also be given.

A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts.

A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

13. Any other particulars can be obtained from the Food Control Department, Kachcheri, Kalutara, between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M., on week days and 9 A.M. and 12 noon on Saturdays.

August 10, 1948. Chairman, Local Tender Board and Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 24, 1948, on behalf of the Deputy Food Controller, Jaffna, for the following services for a period of 12 months, commencing from October 1, 1948:—

- (1) Transport, re-bagging, &c. of foodstuffs at the Jaffna Supply Station;
- (2) Transport, re-bagging, &c., of foodstuffs at the Kankesanturai Supply Station;
- (3) Transport, re-bagging, &c., of foodstuffs at the Point Pedro Supply Station;
- (4) Transport, re-bagging, &c., of foodstuffs at the Chavakachcheri Supply Station;
- (5) Transport, re-bagging, &c., of foodstuffs at the Kayts Supply Station;
- (6) Transport of foodstuffs between the Supply Stations at Jaffna, Kankesanturai, Point Pedro, Chavakachcheri and Kayts.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on or before August 21, 1948, on application from the Deputy Food Controller, Jaffna, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

E. J. RAJARATNAM,
The Emergency Kachcheri, Jaffna, August 9, 1948.

Food Production (Estates) Farm, Wellawaya.

Tender for a Double Bullock Cart and a Pair of Bulls.

SEALED tenders for the supply of a double bullock cart and a pair of bulls for the above farm, will be received by the Food Production Officer (Estates), Pundaluoya, up to 12 noon on August 25, 1948.

2. Tenderers should specify the place at which the F.P.O. (E) and an Assistant Veterinary Surgeon could inspect the bulls and the cart.

3. The successful tenderer should be prepared to deliver the cart and bulls at the F.P. (E) Farm, Wellawaya (32 miles from Haputale Railway Station).

4. The cart should be of sound construction and in good working order and without a hood. The sides of the body of cart should be made of strong planks.

5. The age and breed of the draught bulls for the cart should be stated in the tender.

6. There are no special tender forms.

7. The envelopes bearing the tenders should be marked “Tender for Cart and Bulls”.

8. The Government reserves to itself the right to accept any tender or any portion of a tender or to reject any or all the tenders.

U. B. UNAMBOOWE,
Food Production Officer (Estates).
Office of the F.P.O. (E),
Pundaluoya, July 31, 1948.

Food Production (Estates) Farm, Wellawaya.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of earthen curd pots for the Food Production (Estates) Farm, Wellawaya.

2. Tenders should be addressed to the Food Production Officer (Estates), Pundaluoya and should reach him at or before 12 noon on August 31, 1948.

3. Tenders should be sent under registered cover and should bear the words “Tender for earthen pots” at left hand top corner of cover.

4. Tenderers should quote rate per pot at which they are prepared to supply pots to the Farm.

5. The pots are required to be used as containers for curd and should be of a size to hold 2½ bottles of milk. Approximately about 1,000 pots will be required per month.

6. The Food Production Officer (Estates) reserves to himself the right to reject any or all of the tenders.

7. Further particulars if necessary can be obtained from the Superintendent, Food Production (Estates) Farm, Wellawaya.

U. B. UNAMBOOWE,
Food Production Officer (Estates).

Office of the F.P.O. (E),
Pundaluoya, August 3, 1948.

Tenders for Transport and Unloading of Foodstuffs at the Alutgama Supply Station.

TENDERS are hereby invited for :—

(i.) Unloading and transport from the Railway Goods Shed at Alutgama to the Overflow Stores ("Solomon Building", No. 396, Welipenna road, Alutgama and Flour Store at Ganegama), bags of rice, flour, &c., of the following sizes :—

(a) 112 measure bags.	(e) 196 lb.
(b) 80 " "	(f) 150 " "
(c) 64 " "	(g) 140 " "
(d) 48 " "	(h) 100 " "

(Rates quoted for transport include the cost of unloading from Railway Trucks into lorries or carts at the Railway Goods Shed, unloading into the Overflow Stores, and stacking at the Overflow Stores).

(ii.) Unloading from Food Control and private lorries and stacking at the Overflow Stores, bags of the above sizes

for the period October 1, 1948, to September 30, 1949.

2. The rates should be given in figures as well as in words. Where the rate given in figures differs from the rate in words or no rate is stated in words, the tender is liable to rejection.

3. All tenders should be sealed under one cover and should be addressed to—

"The Chairman of the Local Tender Board,
the Kachcheri, Kalutara."

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for transport of rice, flour, &c., at Alutgama" on the top left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Local Tender Board, Kachcheri, Kalutara, not later than 2 P.M. on September 3, 1948.

5. Tenders should either be deposited at the Kachcheri Tender Box or sent through the post under Registered cover.

6. Tenders should be made on a form which will be supplied on application at the Food Control Branch, Kachcheri, Kalutara, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 10 (rupees ten only) will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, Kalutara, and the receipt for same produced before the form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract or fail to furnish the required security within 10 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

8. Wagons containing Food Control stocks at the Railway Station, should be released within ten working hours of their arrival. Failure to comply with this requirement will render the successful tenderer liable to pay demurrage at prescribed Railway rates if the failure can be attributed to any delay on his part or in the part of any of his Agents. The decision of the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, on this point will be final.

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

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. The work is to be undertaken on an agreement to be entered into by the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, and the contractor on the basis of accepted tendered schedule of rates. The agreement must bear a five rupees stamp to be supplied by the contractor.

12. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security a sum of rupees five hundred only (Rs. 500) before the commencement of the contract.

13. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract, when applying for tender forms should furnish the Officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving his full name and permanent address stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts.

A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

14. Any other particulars can be obtained from the Food Control Department, Kachcheri, Kalutara, between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. on week days and 9 A.M. and 12 noon on Saturdays.

August 10, 1948. Chairman, Local Tender Board and
Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara.

Tenders for Transport of Foodstuffs.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the period October 1, 1948 to September 30, 1949, for :—

(a) the transport of rice, flour and other foodstuffs from the Kalutara South Railway Station to the Food Control Stores at Matugama. Tenderers should quote (i.) a rate per ton per mile for transport and (ii.) a rate per ton for loading into lorries or carts at the Kalutara South Railway Station and unloading and stacking at the Food Control Stores at Matugama. (This service may not be regular and the successful tenderer should be prepared to undertake transport of foodstuffs whenever foodstuffs are received by rail at the Kalutara South Railway Station).

(b) unloading from Food Control and private lorries and stacking at the Food Control Stores at Matugama, bags of rice, flour, &c., of the following sizes :—

(i.) 112 measure bags	(v.) 196 lb.
(ii.) 80 measure bags	(vi.) 150 lb.
(iii.) 64 measure bags	(vii.) 140 lb.
(iv.) 48 measure bags	(viii.) 100 lb.

(Rates quoted for this service should be per bag of the above-mentioned sizes.)

2. The rates should be given in figures as well as in words. Where the rate given in figures differs from the rate in words, or no rate is stated in words, the tender is liable to rejection.

3. All tenders should be sealed under one cover and should be addressed to :—

"The Chairman of the Local Tender Board,
The Kachcheri, Kalutara."

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for transport of rice, flour, &c., at Matugama", on the top left-hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Local Tender Board, Kachcheri, Kalutara, not later than 2 P.M. on September 3, 1948.

5. Tenders should either be deposited at the Kachcheri Tender Box or sent through the post under Registered cover.

6. Tenders should be made on a form which will be supplied on application at the Food Control Branch, Kachcheri, Kalutara, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 10 (rupees ten only) will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, Kalutara, and the receipt for same produced before the form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract or fail to furnish the required security within 10 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to, or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

8. Wagons containing Food Control stocks at the Railway Station should be released within ten working hours of their arrival. Failure to comply with this requirement will render the successful tenderer liable to pay demurrage at prescribed Railway rates if the failure can be attributed to any delay on his part or in the part of any of his agents. The decision of the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, on this point will be final.

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

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. The work is to be undertaken on an agreement to be entered into by the Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara, and the contractor on the basis of accepted tendered schedule of rates. The agreement must bear a five rupees stamp to be supplied by the contractor.

12. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security a sum of rupees five hundred only (Rs. 500) before the commencement of the contract.

13. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract, when applying for tender forms should furnish the Officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving his full name and permanent address stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and the extent of other interests should also be given.

A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts.

A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

14. Any other particulars can be obtained from the Food Control Department, the Kachcheri, Kalutara, between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. on week days and 9 A.M. and 12 noon on Saturdays.

Chairman, Local Tender Board,
August 10, 1948. and Deputy Food Controller, Kalutara.

3 THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Commerce and Trade, First Floor, Secretariat, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Friday, August 20, 1948, for the purchase of approximately 1,000 tons of coconut poonac available for export to any destination.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Commissioner of Commodity Purchase, De Mel building, Chatham street, Colombo, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

A tender deposit of Rs. 250 in respect of each tender should be made at this office and a receipt for same produced before any tender form is issued.

H. E. TENNEKON,
for Commissioner of Commodity Purchase,
Department of Commodity Purchase,
P. O. Box No. 567,
Colombo, August 6, 1948.

SEALED tenders marked "Tender for the supply of Vegetables, &c., Agricultural Corps" will be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 31, 1948, for the supply of (1) Vegetables, &c. (2) Dry fish and (3) Sea fish to the Agricultural Corps Camps at Puliyankulama, Senapura, Bakamuna and Base Camp, Colombo, and for the supply of (a) Vegetables, &c., and (b) Dry fish to the Agricultural Corps Camp at Ridiyagama, Ambalantota, for the period October 1, 1948 to March 31, 1949.

2. Delivery should be made within 24 hours of the placing of the orders and delivery will be accepted at the following places:—

- (1) Puliyankulama-Anuradhapura: Delivery at Camp;
- (2) Senapura-Ipalegama: Delivery at Kekirawa;
- (3) Bakamuna-Naula: Delivery at Naula;
- (4) Base Camp-Colombo: Delivery at Camp;
- (5) Ridiyagama-Ambalantota: Delivery at Ambalantota.

3. A deposit of Rs. 25 in respect of each tender to each Camp should be made at the nearest Kachcheri and the receipt forwarded under registered cover to this office when a tender form will be issued. The successful tenderers will be required to furnish security in a sum not exceeding Rs. 500 in respect of each tender. Tender deposit receipts should be addressed to the Commissioner, Agricultural Corps, and not personally to the undersigned.

4. The tenderers should state in their applications for tender forms the D. R. O's division in which they reside.

5. Further particulars can be had from the Officer-in-Charge of the above Camps or from this office.

T. N. MUNASINGHE,
Commissioner, Agricultural Corps,
Agricultural Corps Headquarters,
P. O. Box 529,
120, Alston place,
Colombo 2, August 3, 1948.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Commerce and Trade, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Wednesday, August 25, 1948, for the collection, transport and delivery of rice bran and other goods from Government Rice Mills to the Railway Stations as mentioned below for a period of one year from October 1, 1948:—

- Nikeweratiya Rice Mill to Maho Railway Station;
- Maho Rice Mill to Maho Railway Station;
- Nanaddan Rice Mill to Murunkan Railway Station;
- Pooneryn Rice Mill to Chavakachcheri Railway Station;
- Trincomalee Rice Mill to Trincomalee Railway Station;
- Periyapulachchipotkerni Rice Mill to Murunkan Railway Station.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on a deposit of Rs. 25 at the Marketing Department Head Office or on production of a Yellow receipt in support of deposit at the nearest Kachcheri. Separate tenders should be made for each service. Full particulars on the subject can be obtained from the Marketing Commissioner or from the Managers of respective Rice Mills.

Tender forms will be issued up to 11 A.M. on August 24, 1948.

W. D. JAYASINGHE,
for Marketing Commissioner.

Colombo 1, August 5/9, 1948.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Commerce and Trade, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Wednesday, August 25, 1948, for handling paddy, paddy husk, rice and by-products at the following Rice Mills and Rice Hulling Plants for a period of one year from October 1, 1948:—

- Rice Mill: Ambalantota.
- Rice Mill: Anuradhapura.
- Rice Mill: Batticaloa.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Kalawewa.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Trincomalee.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Madawachchiya.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Maho.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Nikeweratiya.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Nanaddan.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Pooneryn.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Periyapulachchipotkerni.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Paranthan.
- Rice Hulling Plant: Matara.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on a deposit of Rs. 25 at the Marketing Department Head Office or on production of a Yellow receipt in support of deposit at the nearest Kachcheri. Separate tenders should be made for each service. Full particulars on the subject can be obtained from the Marketing Commissioner or from Managers of respective Mills/Hullers.

Tender forms will be issued up to 11 A.M. on August 24, 1948.

W. D. JAYASINGHE,
for Marketing Commissioner.

Colombo 1, August 5/9, 1948.

TENDERS will be received by the Government Agent, Northern Province, up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 24, 1948, for providing a flap gate and regrading the Kiranchi Vaikkal in Kiranchi village in Pallavarayankaddu in Punakari-Tunukkai D. R. O's Division, Northern Province.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Kachcheri, Jaffna, where all particulars can be obtained. Tender forms will be issued up to 12 noon on Saturday, August 21, 1948, only on production of receipt for Rs. 25 deposited for each form at the Jaffna Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, August 9, 1948.

E. J. RAJARATNAM,
for Government Agent.

TENDERS will be received by the Government Agent, Northern Province, up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 24, 1948, for the construction of a masonry regulator and regrading Veravil channel in Punakari-Tunukkai D. R. O's Division, Northern Province.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Kachcheri, Jaffna, where all particulars can be obtained. Tender forms will be issued up to 12 noon on Saturday, August 21, 1948, only on production of receipt for Rs. 25 deposited for each form at the Jaffna Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, August 9, 1948.

E. J. RAJARATNAM,
for Government Agent.

Transport of Arrack—Vavuniya Warehouse—1948.

THE Assistant Commissioner of Excise, N. D., Jaffna, will receive tenders for the above service up to 12 noon on Saturday, September 4, 1948.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable at the Office of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Jaffna, on production of Treasury or Kachcheri receipt for Rs. 10 deposited for the purpose.

3. Any further particulars could be obtained from the said Assistant Commissioner.

T. V. SARAVANAMUTTI,
Office of the Excise Commissioner, Excise Commissioner.
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

Tenders for Imported Sleepers, Crossing Timbers and Bridge Timbers.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of—

- (i.) 150,000 broad gauge sleepers, sawn or hewn—
 (ii.) 800 crossing timbers, swan or hewn, 12 in. by 6 in. by—

14 ft. long	..	..	200
15 ft. long	..	..	400
16 ft. long	..	..	200
			800

- (iii.) 1,300 bridge timbers, sawn die square, 8 ft. 10 in. long by 10 in. wide—

8½ in. deep	..	..	300
7 in. deep	..	..	300
6½ in. deep	..	..	300
6 in. deep	..	..	300
5½ in. deep	..	..	100
			1,300

Full delivery of bridge and crossing timbers and sleepers must be effected in Colombo during first quarter 1949. Tenders must state the approximate date of delivery in Colombo and not date of loading or shipment at port of despatch.

2. These must be in accordance with the description, specification and conditions furnished below:—

- (a) The broad gauge sleepers are for the 5 ft. 6 in. gauge lines and are to be 9 feet long, 10 inches wide, and 5 inches deep, subject to a variation in length of 1 inch either way, and a tolerance of one quarter of an inch in both thickness and width.

The crossing timbers are to be 12 inches wide 6 inches deep and of the lengths given above, subject to a variation in length of 1 inch either way, and a tolerance of a quarter of an inch in both thickness and width.

The bridge timbers are to be swan die square to the dimensions given.

- (b) All sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers shall be cut from well matured trees of the true species of timber named in paragraph 3, felled in the proper season when the sap is not in circulation

- (c) All sleepers and/or crossing timbers, and/or bridge timbers shall be of good sound, strong timber, free from heart-shake, sapwood, dry rot, and knot holes.

- (d) In the case of Creosoted Oregon Pine/Douglas Fir from the U. S. A. or Canada, sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers to the L.M.S. (England) specification will be accepted. The stipulations regarding the season of felling in paragraph (b) and sapwood in paragraph (c) do not apply.

- (e) In the case of Jarrah, sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers to the Western Australian Government Standard Specification No. 10 will be accepted.

Allowance may be made for sound gum veins, gum pockets up to 6 inches by ¾ inch, surface, sun shakes, end shakes up to 6 inches, a few pin holes but not in groups, firm sound knots not exceeding 2 inches in diameter.

Sap or wane must not occur under rail seat and must not exceed 2 inches on either face.

The bridge timbers shall be sawn die square. The sleepers and crossing timbers may be swan or hewn. They shall not be cut on full quarter; shall be cut square out of winding and straight except that hewn sleepers and/or crossing timbers may have camber to the extent of half an inch.

3. Tenders will be considered for the whole supply of bridge and crossing timbers and 100,000 sleepers of the following species:—

- (a) From Australia—Jarrah (*Fucalyptus Marginata*).
 (b) From India—Sal (*Shorea robusta*), Pyinkadu or Irul (*Xylia dolabriformis*).
 (c) From Burma—Pyinkadu or Irul (*Xylia dolabriformis*).
 (d) From Siam—Mai Teng Rang or Thitiya (*Shorea Obtusa*).
 (e) From Canada or the United States of America—Douglas Fir—(Oregon Pine) (*Pseudotsuga Douglasii*) Creosoted and Incised; Creosoting by Rueping Process 7 lb./cubic foot. All sleepers to be 60 per cent. creosote and 40 per cent. petroleum. All bridge and crossing timbers to be straight creosote. Sleepers to be bored and adzed before treatment.

4. Tenderers must state the country or state in which the timber for the sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers was grown, and must give the correct botanical name of the timber. No tender will be considered which does not give this information.

5. Tenderers should state the number of each species they are prepared to supply and, if more than one kind is offered in any tender, the ratio for each kind should be specified, with the minimum and maximum number of each kind that can be supplied. Tenderers must also state whether the sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers are sawn or hewn.

6. In the case of Australian woods, all sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers must be passed before shipment by the Government Inspector of the state from which the timber is obtained.

Inspection with regard to sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers from Canada or the United States of America: Certificate of the Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau to be furnished for each shipment covering grade of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers.

Certificate of MacDonald and MacDonald, testing Engineers of Vancouver, to be furnished covering preservative treatment of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers.

Arrangements will be made for inspection of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers from other countries before shipment and any sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers rejected at such inspection will not be accepted by the Ceylon Government. The fees for inspection must be paid by the contractors.

7. Should a contractor fail to complete delivery by the specified date, the purchase price of the sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers delivered to and accepted by the General Manager of the Railway after the specified date shall be subject to a deduction as damages of 10 per cent. on their value, and such deduction shall be regarded as a reasonable pre-estimate of actual damage which the General Manager of the Railway will and may sustain by reason of the default of the contractor to complete delivery within the specified time, and shall for all purposes be deemed to be, and regarded as, liquidated damages, and not as a penalty.

8. Should the contractor at any time during the execution of the contract find that he will be unable to deliver the full quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers or any portion of them within the period named, he shall at once give notice according to the Conservator of Forests, who shall have an absolute discretion, either to grant an extension of time, or to determine the contract and recover damages as provided hereinafter in clause 32.

9. If any difference or dispute shall arise between the parties of this contract as to the true intent and meaning of any of the conditions herein contained or to any matter in dispute arising out of this contract, such difference or dispute shall be referred to a Board of Arbitration, of which each party shall appoint one arbitrator, and the two arbitrators so appointed shall, before proceeding with the reference, appoint an umpire. The award of the arbitrators and umpire or of the majority of them, shall be conclusive and binding on both parties hereto, and may include the costs, if any, of the arbitration proceedings.

10. The contractor shall inform the Conservator of Forest by telegraph immediately the steamers commence to load, stating the probable date of sailing, and shall again telegraph immediately the vessel has sailed. As each consignment is shipped, the contractor must send direct to the Conservator of Forests in care of the Master of the vessel conveying the sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers:—

- 1 bill of loading (stamped).
- 1 copy of invoice.
- 1 copy of Charter Party (if any).

11. The prices tendered are to include all costs till delivered in ship's slings at vessel's side in Colombo Harbour. The contractor shall take all risks of accidents or damage to or loss of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers until so delivered. The sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers are to be discharged only into the lighters of the Government landing contractors. Prices tendered must be written both in figures and words. Where the amount given in figures differs from the amount in words or no amount is stated in words the tender will be rejected.

12. All tenders 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 documents must be sealed under one cover marked in the left hand top corner of the envelope "Tender for Sleepers and Timbers", and must be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, Colombo.

13. Tenders should either be deposited in the Tender Box in the Ministry of Agriculture (Room No. 352, Third floor, Galle Face Secretariat, Colombo), or sent through the post under registered cover so as to reach the Chairman of the Tender Board not later than 12 noon on Thursday, August 26, 1948.

14. Tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied on application at the office of the Conservator of Forests, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized

form. Tenderers should state in their tenders what definite arrangements have been made for obtaining the supply from abroad. Alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

15. Tenderers who have not previously held Government contracts should, when applying for tender forms, furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses.

16. In the case of tenderers who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Railway, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

17. A deposit of Rs. 100 in favour of the Conservator of Forests will be required to be made at the office of the Conservator of Forests, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued.

18. Applications from outside Ceylon accompanied by a draft on a Colombo Bank in favour of the Conservator of Forests will be considered, on intimation being received from the Bank that such a draft has been placed to the credit of Government.

19. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Conservator of Forests, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

20. Tenderers will have to satisfy the Conservator of Forests or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, documentary or other evidence being produced for that purpose, if called upon to do so, and in the case of tenderers who are not resident in the Island by a duly constituted agent specially empowered in that behalf.

21. *Tenders from tenderers not resident in the Island will not receive consideration, unless submitted by a duly constituted agent resident in the Island specially empowered to tender for the same and to execute a valid contract in that behalf and to fulfil all the terms of the contract.* In the case of local firms tendering as agents of firms outside Ceylon, the "duly constituted" agents should hold a power of attorney from their principals to enable them to enter into a contract should their tender be accepted.

22. Should any tenderer decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing, that his tender has been accepted, his tender 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 Ceylon Government contract.

Notice of acceptance of tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to, or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

23. 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 in cash or fixed deposit for every 15,000 sleepers and crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers or lesser number contracted for. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in clause 14 of this notice.

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

25. The Ceylon Government reserves to itself the right without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender. If any special conditions attached to the acceptance of part of a tender or of lots in numbers other than those specified, they must be clearly laid down in the tender.

26. Payments for sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers will be made on completion of discharge of the vessels and tally on shore by means of crossed cheques in rupees in Colombo at the bank's selling rate for Telegraphic Transfers or by Telegraphic Transfer on London, whichever is more advantageous to the Crown.

27. The contractors shall not assign or transfer the contract without the authority of the Tender Board. The Government reserves to itself the right to refuse to recognize a power of attorney issued by a contractor to any person authorising him to carry on the contract on the contractor's behalf.

28. In the case of failure on the part of the contractor to supply the entire quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers by the specified time, it shall be lawful for the Conservator of Forests in his discretion, by reason of such default and breach of contract on the part of the contractor, either to grant the contractor once or oftener

an extension of time for the delivery of such quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers as the contractor has failed to supply (subject to a deduction of ten per cent. on the purchase price), or to purchase in the open market at whatever price he may deem fit and reasonable such quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers as the contractor has failed to supply.

29. In the event of the Conservator of Forests in his discretion electing not to grant the contractor an extension of time but to purchase or cause to be purchased in the open market such quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers as the contractor shall have failed to deliver by the specified time the Conservator of Forests shall give to the contractor 30 days' notice in writing of his intention so to purchase in the open market.

30. If subsequent to the issue of the notice of intention to purchase in the open market and within the period of 30 days covered by such notice, the contractor shall deliver to the General Manager of the Railway the entire quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers then remaining undelivered, or any part of such quantity it shall be lawful for the General Manager of the Railway for good cause shown or otherwise to him appearing to accept such quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers or any part thereof, and in the event of the General Manager of the Railway within the said period of 30 days accepting a part only of the quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers remaining undelivered, such acceptance shall in no way be deemed to be or construed as a waiver of the written notice hereinbefore referred to, which said notice shall, despite such acceptance, be deemed to be for all purposes valid and effectual with a view to enabling the Conservator of Forests lawfully to purchase in the open market such quantity of sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers as shall yet remain undelivered at the expiration of 30 days covered by the said notice.

31. Should the sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers so purchased cost more than the contract price, the contractor shall be liable to pay to the Conservator of Forests the full amount of the excess cost, together with all expenses attending the purchase and procuring of the same.

32. Should the contractor fail to supply in the quantities and in the time agreed upon, or should he commit a breach of any of the covenants of the contract, the Conservator of Forests shall be at liberty by notice in writing to forthwith determine the contract, and thereupon the contractor will be liable to pay to the Conservator of Forests all costs and expenses incurred by the failure to supply sleepers and/or crossing timbers and/or bridge timbers or by the breach of any other covenant of the contract, and shall, in addition be liable to forfeit the sum deposited by him as security, which said sum shall be paid and forfeited as liquidated damages, and not by way of a penalty, and shall not be deemed to include the costs and expenses hereinbefore referred to.

33. The contract which shall be stamped by the contractor at his own expense in terms of the Stamp Ordinance, shall be entered into by the contractor with the Conservator of Forests acting for and on behalf of the Government of Ceylon and the designation of such officer shall mean and include the officer for the time being holding such office and his successors in office for the time being under the Government of Ceylon.

34. The contractor shall indemnify the Crown against any claim, by or in respect of any employee of the contractor, under the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance (Cap. 117).

35. The amount of cash security required shall be deposited by the contractor in the name of the Conservator of Forests and shall be mortgaged assigned, and set over to and with the said Government of Ceylon for securing the due and punctual performance of the contract on the part of the contractor and the payment of all moneys which the contractor may become liable to pay to the Crown under the contract.

The Secretariat,
Colombo, August 10, 1948.

H. E. C. LUSHINGTON,
Conservator of Forests.

TENDERS for the supply of M. S. Flat Bars, &c., will be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Finance, Room No. 222, General Treasury, Colombo, up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 31, 1948.

Tenders should be on forms obtainable from the Superintendent of Stores, Government Stores Department, Colombo, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

Colombo, August 13, 1948.

J. W. WARBY,
Superintendent of Stores.

Tender for Cooked Provisions, Tattapparai Camp.

TENDERS are hereby invited for a period of one, two or three years from October 1, 1948, for the supply of cooked diets to emigrant passengers at Tattapparai Camp.

2. Diets.

Both Vegetarian and Non-Vegetarian diet sheets will be supplied with the tender form.

- (i.) The tender must specify the rate per meal for the respective diets.
- (ii.) Two meals to be supplied daily.

3. Accommodation and Equipments.

Kitchen buildings and store-room and available equipments therein will be supplied for which the Contractor will pay Rs. 400 per annum as rental. Tinning and repairs to metal utensils will be carried out by the Contractor.

4. Staff of Contractor.

The Contractor's representative in the Camp should possess a colloquial knowledge of Tamil. A knowledge of Hindustani will be desirable. No quarters will be provided for him. Only servants of the Contractor will be provided with available quarters and brackish water supply in the Camp. The Contractor will pay for the quarters and for flushing water supplies an annual rental of Rs. 400. Medical Aid and supply of drugs to the Contractor's servants will be paid for at the rate of Rs. 150 per annum which should be paid up in equal monthly instalments. Drinking water for cooking and for their servants should be provided by the Contractor. The water should be obtained from Puthiamputhur Mission well only.

5. Electric Current.

Electric current will be supplied to living quarters at the rate of Rs. 0-8-0 per unit and a meter rent of Re. 1 per meter per mensem.

6. Food Distribution and Service.

Approved utensils for transport and distribution of diets to the passengers in the wards to be supplied by the Contractor.

7. Terms and Conditions.

- (i.) All tenders should be in sealed cover and should be addressed to the Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Health and Local Government, Post Box No. 500, Colombo.
- (ii.) Tenders should be deposited in the Tender Box in the Office of the Permanent Secretary to the Minister of Health and Local Government or be sent through the post under Registered Cover.
- (iii.) Tender should be marked "Tender for cooked Provisions at Tattapparai Camp" on the left-hand top corner of the envelope and should reach The Chairman, Tender Board, not later than 12 noon of August 31, 1948.
- (iv.) All tenders must be made in duplicate upon forms which will be supplied on application at the office of the Superintendent of Quarantine, Tattapparai Camp, and at the office of the Director of Quarantine, Colombo 8, at Rs. 1-8-0 per form and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognised form.
- (v.) All alterations and erasures in the tenders must be initialled by the tenderers otherwise the tenders will be treated as informal and rejected.
- (vi.) Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons in Ceylon or in South India whose address must be given for engaging to become surety for the due fulfilment of the contract.
- (vii.) A deposit of Rs. 300 will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at the office of the Superintendent of Quarantine, Tattapparai Camp, and a receipt produced for the 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 security within 10 days of receiving notice in writing from the Director, Quarantine Department, Colombo, or his duly authorised 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. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to or left at the address given by the tenderer.
- (viii.) The successful tenderer shall, on intimation of his tender being accepted, within ten days after receipt of a written notice to that effect, execute a bond in a sum of Rs. 1,000 with two sureties, each in a similar sum binding himself to observe the terms of the contract.

- (ix.) The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting it for any period less than three years.
- (x.) Contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Director, Quarantine Department, Colombo.
- (xi.) For further particulars and information apply to the Superintendent of Quarantine, Tattapparai Camp.

W. G. WICKREMASINGHE,
Acting Director, Quarantine Department.

August 11, 1948.

Department of Medical and Sanitary Services.**Tenders for the Supply of 450 Tons of Water Wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. Powder.**

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of four hundred and fifty (450) tons of water wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. powder in 12 equal monthly instalments beginning from November 1, 1948, to be delivered in Colombo as directed by the Superintendent, Anti-Malaria Campaigns, Torrington square, Colombo.

2. The Tender Board will be prepared to consider separate tenders for the supply of the total quantity of four hundred and fifty (450) tons in two instalments of two hundred and twenty-five (225) tons each. The first instalment shall be delivered before thirtieth November, 1948, and the second before thirtieth April, 1949. A condition of the acceptance of this tender shall be that the contractor will undertake at his own expense and risk to store any quantity not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five (125) tons for a period of not more than three months at a time.

3. The water wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. shall be packed in sound water proof containers capable of withstanding rough handling and prolonged storage. The powder shall resist caking and shall not become packed or lumpy at a temperature not exceeding 55°C.

4. The water wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. supplied shall contain a minimum of 50 per cent. D. D. T. (The D. D. T. used in compounding the wettable powder shall have a setting point of 89°C) and must be a fine, fluffy and free flowing powder of uniform particle size not exceeding (5) five microns. It should readily go into and form a uniform suspension and should not flake or ball and thus clog spray nozzles when used in a 2½ per cent. D. D. T. concentration in all types of natural waters, the maximum salinity of which does not exceed 2½ per cent. (expressed as Cl) and the maximum hardness of which is 50 parts per 100,000 (expressed as Ca.Co 3).

5. Each tenderer shall deliver before 12 noon on Tuesday, September 14, 1948, at the office of the Tender Board, Ministry of Health and Local Government, Colombo, a sample weighing not less than fourteen (14) pounds of the wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. to be supplied. The sample shall be packed in a water tight tin bearing no other distinguishable mark than the tenderer's own secret mark, a specimen of which shall be affixed to the tender form.

6. Each tender shall be accompanied by a certificate from the manufacturers to the effect that the water wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. powder supplied by them will conform to the specifications laid down in para (4) above and shall not be inferior in quality, sort and strength contracted for and to the approved sample.

7. Only firm offers giving the price in rupees and cents per ton of water wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. powder delivered at any place within the limits of the city of Colombo as directed by the Superintendent, Anti-Malaria Campaigns, Colombo, will be considered.

8. The contract shall commence only after the tender has been accepted and the contract duly signed and shall be in force till the thirty-first day of October, 1949. The first instalment will be supplied in November, 1948.

9. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to:—

The Chairman of the Tender Board,
Ministry of Health and Local Government,
Post Office Box 500,
Colombo.

10. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Ministry or be sent through the post under registered cover.

11. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of water wettable 50 per cent. D. D. T. powder" in the left hand top corner of the envelope and should reach the Chairman of the Tender Board not later than mid-day on Tuesday, September 14, 1948.

12. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Superintendent, Anti-Malaria Campaigns, Torrington square, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

13. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

14. A deposit of rupees one thousand (Rs. 1,000) in respect of each tender form will be required to be made either at the Bank of Ceylon, Colombo, or at an outstation Kachcheri, and a receipt for the same produced before 12 noon on Monday, September 13, 1948, before any form of tender is issued.

15. 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.

16. On the acceptance of a tender by the Tender Board a notice of acceptance will be forwarded to the tenderer. The notice of acceptance will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it is sent by registered post to or left at the address given by the tenderer.

17. Should any tenderer whose tender has been accepted decline or fail to enter into the contract and the security bond as required or fail to furnish approved security within 10 days of receiving the notice of acceptance the deposit of rupees one thousand (Rs. 1,000) made under Clause 14 hereof shall be forfeited to the Crown.

18. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be rupees fifty thousand (Rs. 50,000) in cash or by a Bank Guarantee. Cost of the stamp fee necessary for the bond should be borne by the tenderer. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in Clause 12 of this notice.

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

20. 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.

21. No contract may be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board. The Government reserves to itself the right to refuse to recognise a power of attorney issued by a contractor to any person authorising him to carry on the contract on the Contractor's behalf.

22. The Director of Medical and Sanitary Services may, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, give notice in writing of his objection to the employment by the Contractor of any persons specified in such notice, and no such person shall be employed by the Contractor.

23. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving his full name and permanent address, stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

24. A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts.

25. A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

26. The contract shall be entered by the Contractor with the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, acting for and on behalf of the Government of Ceylon, and the designation of such officer shall mean and include the officer for the time being holding such office and his successors in office for the time being under the Government of Ceylon.

W. G. WICKREMASINGHE,
Acting Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.
Colombo, August 13, 1948.

Sale of Lithographic Machine.

WRITTEN offers are hereby invited for the purchase of a Bremner Flat-bed Lithographic printing machine (hand-fed), of printing size 16 x 20 inches, in working order. A motor is not provided. The machine can be inspected at the Surveyor-General's Office during office hours.

2. The offers should be sent under sealed cover by registered post addressed to the Surveyor-General, (Branch C), Colombo, to reach this office not later than mid-day on Monday, August 30, 1948.

3. The top left hand corner of the envelope should be marked "Offer for Lithographic Machine".

4. Alterations and erasures must be initialled, otherwise the offer may be treated as informal and rejected.

5. A cheque or money order for Rs. 25, payable to the Surveyor-General, Colombo, should be sent as a deposit with each offer. Offers received without such remittances are liable to be rejected.

6. Should any person decline or fail to pay for and remove the Lithographic Machine within 21 days of his receiving a notice in writing from the Surveyor-General that his offer has been accepted the deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the sale of the Machine.

7. The Surveyor-General reserves for himself the right without question of rejecting any or all the offers.

8. My notice appearing in *Gazette* No. 9,888 of July 23, 1948, is hereby cancelled.

Surveyor-General's Office,
(Branch C),
Colombo, August 5, 1948.

I. F. WILSON,
Surveyor-General:

TENDERS will be received up to 12 noon on August 21, 1948, by the Chairman, Colombo Port Commission, for the purpose of the under-mentioned craft belonging to the Government of Ceylon, and now lying opposite the C. R. N. V. R. Headquarters near Kochchikade Jetty in an unseaworthy condition.

Permits to view the craft may be had on application to this office.

Name of Craft.—"Overdale Wyke"—originally built in 1924, by Messrs. Cochrane & Sons, Ltd., Selby, and converted during 1939-45 War for mine-sweeping and anti-submarine work.

Specifications.—

Length .. 138.8 feet
Breadth .. 23.8 "
Depth .. 13.3 "

Fitted with one Triple Expansion Engine, one Single Ended Boiler, Electric Lighting Set and other small auxiliaries. Steel Hull with living accommodation.

2. Conditions of purchase and all further particulars can be obtained at the Office of the Colombo Port Commission. Tender forms will be issued on a deposit of Rs. 250 being made at the Office of the Colombo Port Commission. No tender forms will be issued after 3 P.M. on August 20, 1948.

P. A. J. HERNU,
Chairman, Colombo Port Commission.
Office of the Colombo Port Commission,
Colombo 1, August 9, 1948.

Irrigation Department.

THE date of closing of tenders for the following:—

- (a) Permanent Buildings—Nos. 73 } Gal-Oya
Semi-Permanent Buildings Nos. 8 } Reservoir Scheme.
(b) Construction of a pipe-borne water supply to Gal-oya construction village.

has been extended to 12 noon, Tuesday, August 24, 1948.

2. Tender forms will be issued up to 12 noon, Saturday, August 21, 1948.

3. Covers should indicate the service for which the tender is made.

4. The original tender notices regarding the above appeared in the *Government Gazette* No. 9,888 of July 23, 1948, and in the following Newspapers:—

- (a) Buildings—"Daily News" of July 23 and 26, 1948, and "Times of Ceylon" of July 23 and 27, 1948.
(b) Water Supply—"Daily News" of July 24 and 26, 1948, and "Times of Ceylon" of July 23 and 26, 1948.

E. B. WIRATUNGA,
Colombo, August 12, 1948. for Director of Irrigation.

Ceylon Government Railway.

THE tender notice dated August 2, 1948, which appeared in the *Government Gazette*, No. 9,893 of August 6, 1948, regarding tenders for the privilege of changing foreign money at Colombo Fort, Polgahawela and Talaimannar Pier railway stations is hereby cancelled and withdrawn.

P. O. Box No. 355,
Colombo, August 9, 1948.

M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Waharaka Investment Company, Limited.
(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 226 of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the Office of the Liquidators, Times of Ceylon Building, Colombo, on Saturday, August 21, 1948, at 11 A.M. for the following purpose—

To receive and if thought fit adopt the accounts of the Liquidators for the year ended July 31, 1948.

A. E. ILLINGWORTH,
Joint Liquidator.
Colombo, August 13, 1948.

Auction Sale.

At the Risk of the Defaulting Purchaser.

UNDER commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 1,642/M.B., I shall sell by public auction the following properties on Monday, September 6, 1948, at their respective spots commencing from 4 P.M. :—

1. (1) All that defined portion of land called and known as Maragahawatta together with the trees, plantations and the buildings thereon bearing assessment Nos. 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E, 1F and 1G situated at Anderson road in Kalubowila East within the Urban Council limits of Dehiwala-Mount Lavinia in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province, in extent (A. 0 R. 2 P. 5 83/100). (2) All that allotment of land called Maragahawatta marked Lot B bearing assessment No. 5, Anderson road, Kalubowila within the U. C. Limits of Dehiwala-Mt. Lavinia aforesaid in extent (A. 0 R. 1 P. 20.46.)

2. (1) All that Lot 1A 1 of Delgahawatta with the soil, plantations and everything thereon bearing assessment No. 135, Nedimala within the Dehiwala-Mt. Lavinia U. C. Limits in extent A. 0 R. 1 P. 30 50/100. (2) All that Lot 1A 2 of Delgahawatta with the soil, plantations and everything thereon bearing No. 135, Nedimala aforesaid, in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 35 25/100. (3) All that Lot 1A 3 of Delgahawatta with the said plantations and everything thereon bearing No. 135, Nedimala aforesaid in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 35 25/100. (4) All that Lot 1B of Delgahawatta (reservation for road) bearing No. 135, Nedimala aforesaid, in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 21.50. (5) All that Lot 1C of Delgahawatta (reservation for road) bearing No. 135, Nedimala aforesaid, in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 7.75.

Full particulars from H. V. Ram Iswara, Esq., Proctor, S. C., Colombo.

161, Hulftsdorp,
Colombo. M. C. CONIAH,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

UNDER commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 1,818/M.B., I shall sell by public auction the following property belonging to defendant, James Nichol Meryl Fernando of "Blue Lodge" Colpetty, Colombo, on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, at the spot at 5.30 P.M. :—

All that allotment of land marked lot D1, in plan No. 5,124 dated October 6, 1938, made by M. G. de Silva, Licensed Surveyor, being a part of premises bearing assessment Nos. 192, 226 and 228, Gas Works street and Nos. 22 and 24, Dam street, and which said lot D1 bears assessment Nos. 230 and 232, Gas Works street, situated at Gas Works street, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province, in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 11.93.

Full particulars from H. V. Ram Iswara, Esq., Proctor, S. C., Colombo.

161, Hulftsdorp,
Colombo. M. C. CONIAH,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

UNDER commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 1,883/M.B., I shall sell by public auction the following property belonging to the defendant Ahamedo Lebbe Marikar Abdu Raheem also known as Ahamedo Lebbe Marikar Abdu Bahaman of 216, Macarthy road, presently of 188, New Moor street, Colombo, on Friday, September 3, 1948, at the spot at 5.30 P.M. :—

An allotment of land presently bearing assessment Nos. 167, 171 and 175 situated at Mam street, Pettah in Colombo, in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 8 36/100 excluding however therefrom the following portions viz: (a) a portion in extent A. 0 R. 0 P. 2 55/100 and (2) a portion in extent (A. 0 R. 0 P. 2 38/100).

Full particulars from Mr. Fred G. de Silva, Proctor, S. C., Colombo.

161, Hulftsdorp,
Colombo. M. C. CONIAH,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

*Commodious recently built bungalow with electric lights
walk room, sheds with 5 acres grassland—ideal for a
Dairy, a mile from Borella.*

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 1,768 M.B., I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 9 A.M., on Saturday, September 4, 1948, the following properties :—

1. All that land called and known as Delgahawatta alias Pelengahawatta and Mendoragahawatta together with everything standing thereon with buildings bearing assessment No. 2, Malunagoda road, situated at Rajagiriya, Colombo, in extent A. 0 R. 2 P. 38.88.

2. All that allotment of Delgahawatta alias Pelengahawatta and Mendoragahawatta in extent A. 0 R. 1 P. 8 7/100.

3. All that field called Galtota kumbura in extent, A. 5 R. 2 P. 10.

All these properties Nos. 1, 2 and 3 are situated at Rajagiriya, Colombo, within U. C. of Kotte in the Palle pattu, Salpiti korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province.

Further particulars apply to S. Somanathar, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Hulftsdorf, Colombo or—

295, Thumbrigasyaya road,
Colombo. L. M. NICOLLE,
Auctioneer, Broker and Valuer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Tiled house and garden at 4th Division, Udayartoppu, bordering Jayaratne road, in Negombo town, (2) Fibre Mills, etc., and the land on which the same stand at Galawatta, in the District of Negombo, and (3) another block of land at Akaragama, also in the District of Negombo.

Kana, Nana, Kana, Suna, Pana, Supperamaniam Chettiyar of Negombo Plaintiff.

No. 14,441: Vs.

(1) Adeline Margaret Halackone nee Silva for herself and as guardian *ad litem* under the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th defendants, (2) Don Augustine Halackone; (3) Don Lucian Kingsley Bertram Halackone, (4) Don Walter Anthony Halackone, (5) Don Clement Leopold Halackone and (6) Don Alan Cassius Halackone, minors, by their guardian *ad litem* the 1st defendant, all of 45, Jayaratne road, Negombo Defendants.

BY virtue of the order to sell issued to me from the District Court of Negombo under the decree in the above-styled, action, I shall sell by auction, on Monday, September 6 1948, at the respective spots, the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged as a primary mortgage and declared liable to be sold under the decree in the said case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,999.25 (less Rs. 75) with interest on Rs. 2,790 at 15 per cent. per annum, from June 1 to December 12, 1947, and thereafter at 5 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full and costs Rs. 277.22½ payable jointly and severally by the 1st and 2nd defendants above named.

Properties referred to.

(1) *At 10 a.m.*—All that divided southern ¼ share of the land called Madangahawatta, situated at 4th Division, Udayartoppu within the Urban Council limits and in the District of Negombo, Western Province, which said southern ¼ share is in extent three roods and thirteen perches (A. 0 R. 3 P. 13) together with the tiled house and other buildings, trees and plantations standing thereon and bearing assessment No. 45.

(2) *At 3 p.m.*—All that allotment of land called Galabodawatta formed of three contiguous allotments situated at Galawatta in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent about two and a half acres (A. 2 R. 2 P. 0) together with the Fibre Mills comprised of one forty-five horse-power Crossby, five pairs of drums, shafts, pulley's and all other accessories, belonging to the said Mills and the two husk-pits and all other buildings, trees and plantations standing thereon.

(3) *At 4 p.m.*—All those contiguous portions of land called Halgalahanda alias Halgahawatta, situated at Akaragama, in Dunagaha pattu aforesaid; containing in extent two acres, one rood and thirty-five perches (A. 2 R. 1 P. 35) together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

Further particulars from D. C. E. V. Karunaratne, Esq., Proctor, S. C., Notary Public, Negombo.

Negombo, August 7, 1948. M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of a House Property in Panadure.

D. C., Panadure, No. 989 M/B.

BY virtue of the order to sell issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, September 4,

1948, at the spots commencing at 3 P.M., for the recovery of the amount entered of record, interest and costs of action, the property to wit:—

1. The entirety of soil, trees, buildings, &c., of the portion of Jambughawatta Paulawita, bearing assessment No. 139, U. C., Panadure, situated at Wekada, Panadure, Kalutara District; containing in extent A. 0 R. 1 P. 28.24.

2. The entirety of soil, trees, buildings, &c. of Kiripellagahawatta, bearing assessment No. 139, U. C., Panadure, situated at Wekada aforesaid, in extent A. 0 R. 3 P. 6.14, the perfect.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. Tirimanne & Meegama, Proctors and Notaries, Panadure, or to me

ALEXANDER GUNATILLAKA
Auctioneer and Valuer.

Panadure.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Deeree.

In the Court of Requests of Balapitiya.

Weraniyagodage Suwaris Appu of Kaikawala in
Induruwa Plaintiff.
No. 24,585. Vs.

(1) Opatha Kankanange Peiris Karunaratna of Goluwa-
mulla, (2) Weraniyagodage Nigohamy of Kaika-
wala Defendants.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, against the 1st defendant for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 76.30, interest and costs of suit taxed at Rs. 29.32, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots, on Saturday, September 11, 1948, the under-mentioned properties, to wit:

At 9.15 a.m.—The land called Waturewela Udumulla situated at Kosgoda in Bentota Walallawiti korale of Galle District, Southern Province, and depicted in T. P. 168,777; and bounded on the north by Crown land called Kebellekanda and Waturewelakele, east by Crown land called Waturewelakele, south by the land depicted in T. P. 168,786, and on the west by Crown land called Kebellekanda; and containing in extent three roods and twenty-nine perches.

At 9.30 a.m.—The land called Waturewela Udumulla situated at Kosgoda aforesaid and depicted in T. P. 168,786; and bounded on the north by land in T. P. 168,777, east by Waturewelakele belonging to the Crown and land in T. P. 53,221, south by Crown land called Waturewela, and on the west by Waturewela Godella belonging to the Crown and Kebellekanda; and containing in extent one acre two roods and twenty-eight perches.

Kurunduwatta,
Ambalangoda,
August 10, 1948.

P. W. RICHARD DE SILVA,
Auctioneer and Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Partition Deeree.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in D. C., Balapitiya, Case No. P. 150, I shall sell by public auction on Friday, September 24, 1948, commencing at 3 P.M., at the spot the land called lot No. 10 of Gangabodawatta and Godellewatta, situated at Deleduwa in Bentota in B. W. korale of Galle District, in extent 16.5 perches.

The said land will be sold as per plan No. 1636 and filed of record in terms of the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Peraliya, Telwatta,
August 10, 1948.

A. KAVIS DE SILVA,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.

I, Karunamuni Regel Silva of Mahawaskaduwa in Kalutara badda of Kalutara totamuna in the District of Kalutara, do hereby give notice in terms of rule 2 in schedule 1B, Notaries Ordinance (Chap. 91), that, three months hence, I shall apply to the Registrar-General to be appointed a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Badulla.

Maha Waskaduwa,
Kalutara, August 3, 1948.

K. R. SILVA.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that I, the under-
signed, Sinhalepelage Jayanaga of Kurunegala intend to apply
for admission as a Notary in the Sinhalese language in the
District of Kurunegala after September 30, 1948.

Kurunegala, June 4, 1948.

J. JAYANAGA.

APPLICATIONS FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES.

We hereby give notice that we have on July 31, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicants: Mrs. Daisy Beatrice Wijetunge and P. de S. Wijetunge, Palatota, Kalutara South.
Description of licence applied for: Retail off and Restaurant licence.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: Richmond Stores and Restaurant, 226, Fourth Cross street, Pettah.

DAISY BEATRICE WIJETUNGE,
P. DE S. WIJETUNGE.

We hereby give notice that we have on July 26, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Dodwell & Co., Limited, P. O. Box 47, Colombo.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Wholesale and retail licences.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of licences.

Situation of premises to be licensed: Assessment No. 130, Glennie street, Slave Island.

DODWELL & COMPANY, LTD.

We hereby give notice that we have on July 31, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicants: J. G. Gomez, S. T. Gomez and Mrs. Cruzpillai Gomez of Avissawella.

Description of licence applied for: Sale of rectified spirits.
State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: New.

Situation of premises to be licensed: Ukwatte, Avissawella.

S. T. GOMEZ,
J. G. GOMEZ,
MRS. CRUZPILLAI GOMEZ.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 1, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: J. G. Gomez, 52, Galle road, Wellawatte.

Description of licence applied for: Medicated wines and rectified spirits.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 52, Galle road, Wellawatte.

J. G. GOMEZ.

We hereby give notice that we have on August 1, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Ceylon Hotels, Ltd., Grand Hotels, Mount Lavinia.

Description of licence applied for: Hotel Bar, Saloon Bar and Pavilion Bar.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: Old No. 217, Hotel road, Mount Lavinia, New No. 104.

CEYLON HOTELS, LTD.,
LEE HEDGES & CO., LTD.,
Agents & Secretaries.

We hereby give notice that we have on August 4, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: J. R. Sri Chandrasekera & Co., Ltd., 33, Staples street, Slave Island.

Description of licence applied for: Wholesale licence for the sale of foreign liquor.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licence.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 33, Staples street, Slave Island.

J. R. SRI CHANDRASEKERA & CO., LTD.,
J. R. SRI CHANDRASEKERA,
Managing Director.

August 4, 1948.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 1, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Motchamary Corera, (Mrs. J. N. Miranda), 444, Union place, Colombo.

Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor retail off.
State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licence.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 444, Union place, Colombo.

MOTCHAMARY CORERA,
(Mrs. J. N. MIRANDA.)

I hereby give notice that I have on August 30, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: H. D. Pieris, The Imperial Medical Stores, 103, Main street, Colombo.

Description of licence applied for: Sale of medicated wines and rectified spirit (retail and wholesale.)

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licences.

Situation of premises to be licensed: The Imperial Medical Stores, 103, Main street, Colombo.

H. D. PIERIS,

We hereby give notice that we have on July 21, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, W. P., for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Names and addresses of applicants: V. L. Panaluva and M. Miguel Fernando.

Description of licence applied for: Retail off (foreign liquor).

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 435, Second division, Maradana.

V. L. PANALUVA,
M. MIGUEL FERNANDO.

I hereby give notice that I have on June 30, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Ada Belle Kelaart, 203, Galle road, Wellawatta.

Description of licence applied for: Renewal, foreign liquor retail (by bottles).

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 203, Galle road, Wellawatta.

A. B. KELAART.

We hereby give notice that we have on July 21, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, W. P., for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Names and addresses of applicants: Ranjit Wijemane, Mrs. R. A. Dissanayake and M. Miguel Fernando.

Description of licence applied for: Retail off (foreign liquor).

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 76, Dean's road, Maradana, Colombo.

R. WIJEMANE,
MRS. R. A. DISSANAYAKE,
M. MIGUEL FERNANDO.

I hereby give notice that I have on July 1, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Mrs. Enid C. Fernando, "Fern Lodge", Moratuwa.

Description of licence applied for: Renewal of retail licence for the sale of foreign liquor (including locally made malt liquor) not to be consumed on the premises.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licence for 1948-49.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 3, Galaha.

ENID C. FERNANDO.

We hereby give notice that we have on July 26, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Central Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: The Kandy Hotels Co. (1938), Ltd., Ward street, Kandy.

Description of licence applied for: Hotel and bar licences.
State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licences.

Situation of premises to be licensed: Queen's hotel, Ward street, Kandy.

THE KANDY HOTELS CO. (1938), LTD,
T. E. CLEMENTS.

I hereby give notice that I have on July 30, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Mrs. D. H. Marcel.

Description of licence applied for: Hatton arms hotel, and bar licence.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: House 158, View Cottage, Fruithill, Hatton.

O. O. U. MARCEL,
for Mrs. D. H. MARCEL.

I hereby give notice that I have on July 28, 1948, applied to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: A. L. Morais, Bridge street, Chilaw.

Description of licence applied for: Retail licence for the sale of foreign liquor.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed: Bridge street, Chilaw.

A. L. MORAIS.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 1, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, North-Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

Schedule.
Name and address of applicant: Manuel Louis Henry Miranda, 444, Union place, Colombo.

Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor retail off.
State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licences.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 164, Kandy road, Kurunegala.

M. L. H. MIRANDA.

We hereby give notice that we have on July 29, 1948, applied to the Government Agent, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1949, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

Schedule.
Name and address of applicant: J. M. S. Miranda & Sons, Ltd., 14, Puttalam road, Anuradhapura.

Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor retail off.
State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: Renewal of existing licences.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 14, Puttalam road, Anuradhapura.

J. M. S. MIRANDA & SONS, LTD.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Closing of the Civil Medical Stores for the Annual Verification and Stock taking.

THE Civil Medical Stores will be closed so far as the issue of drugs, &c., is concerned from September 1 to September 30, 1948 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual Verification and Stock taking.

Heads of Departments, all officers in charge of hospitals and dispensaries, and Superintendents of estates, &c., are requested to note that no requisitions for drugs, &c., except urgent items as Sera and Quinine will be entertained during this period.

Office of the D. M. & S. S.,
Colombo, August 6, 1948.

A. J. ABEYESUNDERE,
for Director of Medical and
Sanitary Services.

In the Matter of the Application of the provisions of Section 277 of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, with a view to striking the name of Agra Elbedde Tea Company Limited, off the Register of Companies.

WHEREAS there is reasonable cause to believe that Agra Elbedde Tea Company Limited, a Company incorporated on May 26, 1928, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance No. 4 of 1861, is not carrying on business or in operation.

Now know ye that I, Walter Mahesa Sellayah, Registrar of Companies, acting under section 277 (3) of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, do hereby give notice that, at the expiration of three months from this date, the name of Agra Elbedde Tea Company Limited will unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register of Companies kept in this office, and the Company will be dissolved.

Colombo, August 5, 1948.

W. M. SELLAYAH,
Registrar of Companies.

In the Matter of the Application of the provisions of Section 277 of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, with a view to striking the name of The Singhalese Trading Company Limited, off the Register of Companies.

WHEREAS there is reasonable cause to believe that the Singhalese Trading Company Limited, a company incorporated on April 2, 1937, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance No. 4 of 1861, is not carrying on business or in operation.

2. And whereas notice was published in *Gazette* No. 9,860 of May 7, 1948, that the name of The Singhalese Trading Company Limited, would at the expiration of three months from that date be struck off the register, unless cause was shown to the contrary.

3. And whereas The Singhalese Trading Company Limited, has not shown cause to the contrary within the period of three months aforesaid.

4. Now therefore I, Walter Mahesa Sellayah, Registrar of Companies, acting under section 277 (5) of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, do by this notice declare that The Singhalese Trading Company Limited was on August 6 1948, struck off the Register of Companies and that the said Company is hereby dissolved.

Colombo, August 6, 1948.

W. M. SELLAYAH,
Registrar of Companies.

Ceylon Government Railway.

THE Railway Level Crossing at 34 miles 75 chains, Northern line, between Navatkuli and Jaffna Railway Stations, on the Jaffna Kachcheri road to Nallore, will be totally closed for vehicular traffic from 4 P.M. on Friday, August 20, 1948, till 4 A.M. on Saturday, August 21, 1948, for effecting repairs.

During this period, vehicular traffic will be diverted through Old Store road.

P. O. Box No. 355,
Colombo, August 12, 1948.

M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

Cancellation of Survey Licence.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Annual Licence issued to Mr. S. E. Ferdinand of Fort, Matara, to practise as a Surveyor under the Surveyors Ordinance (Cap. 92) has been cancelled.

Surveyor-General's Office (Branch C),
P. O. Box No. 506,
Colombo, August 9, 1948.

I. F. WILSON,
Surveyor-General.

WHEREAS Pseudo Fowl Pest has broken out at Hambantota in Magam pattu of Hambantota District of the Southern Province, it is hereby declared in terms of Section 5 Sub-sections 1 and 2 of the Ordinance, No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance, No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, *viz.* :—

The area is bounded on the—

North by: A line from the 3rd mile post on Hambantota Wellawaya Old road to 146½ mile post on Tangalla-Hambantota road.

South by: Sea.

East by: Sea.

West by: A line from the 1½ mile post on Hambantota-Wellawaya Old road to 146½ mile post on Tangalla-Hambantota road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

August 2, 1948.

W. GUNASEKERA,
D. R. O., Magam Pattu.

Supplementary Programme of Cattle Branding in the Hambantota District.

IN terms of Regulation 3 (3) of the Cattle Branding Regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 9,181 of October 15, 1943, notice is hereby given that I have appointed the places in the District shown in column 3 of the Schedule attached hereto where cattle may be brought under regulation 2 to be branded or re-branded with the communal brand mark fixed for the District on the days indicated in column 4 of the Schedule.

The Kachcheri,
Hambantota, August 6, 1948.

D. G. DAYARATNA,
Assistant Government Agent.

Schedule.

No. of V. H's Division.	Name of V. H's Division.	West Giruwa pattu.	
		Place of Branding.	Dates of Branding.
488	Pahala Beligalla	V. H's residence	August 16, 17, 18, 20 and 21, 1948
491	Tenagama	do.	do.
492	Wagegoda	do.	do.

Government Dairy *Auction Sale of Cattle.*

17 Scind and Cross-bred Cows, 1 Scind stud Bull, 21 bull calves and 10 heifer calves, will be sold by public auction at the Government Dairy, Narahenpita, Colombo, on Wednesday, August 25, 1948, at 4.30 P.M.

1 Galvanized zinc milk cart, fitted with pneumatic tyres and 1 B. S. A. push bicycle in running order will also be included in the sale.

Peradeniya, August 10, 1948.

D. RHIND,
Director of Agriculture.

Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943.

BY virtue of the Powers vested in me under Regulation 2 of the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, published in the *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,176, of September 27, 1943, I, Nagamuttu Manicka Idakkadar, Assistant Government Agent, Proper Authority for the purpose of these Regulations for the Vavuniya District, do hereby prescribe the following dates as the dates on or before which operations for the cultivation of paddy lands in the under-mentioned divisions of Vavuniya District shall commence for the Kalapogam/Maha, 1948-49.

2. I do further state that under Regulation 3 of the said Regulations, I shall take possession of any paddy lands where such cultivation operations have not commenced before the said dates.

Division.	Final Date.
Maritime pattus ..	October 1, 1948
Vavuniya North ..	October 1, 1948
Vavuniya South (Tamil Division) ..	October 1, 1948
Vavuniya South (Sinhalese Division) ..	October 1, 1948

N. MANICKA IDAIKKADAR,
Assistant Government Agent.
The Kachcheri,
Vavuniya, August 10, 1948.

Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Regulation 2 of the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, published in *Ceylon Government Gazette*, dated September 27, 1943, the prescribed dates before which operations for Maha, 1948-49 for the cultivation of the paddy fields situated in the Kalutara District, shall commence, appear below in respect of the fields in each Divisional Revenue Officer's Area.

As empowered by regulation 3 of the said regulations, I shall take over any fields on which operations have not been started on or before the dates prescribed.

S. M. DUFF,
Assistant Government Agent.
Kalutara, August 9, 1948.

Divisional Revenue Officer's Division.	Prescribed date.
1. Raigam korale ..	September 20, 1948
2. Panadura Totamune ..	September 1, 1948
3. Kalutara Totamune ..	September 15, 1948
4. Pasdun korale West ..	October 15, 1948
5. Pasdun korale East ..	September 30, 1948

Department of Industries.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received for grant-in-aid of the following school.

Name of School.	Situation
Industrial school, Panadure, Child Welfare and Social Service League ..	Panadure

Observations for or against this application will be accepted not later than September 6, 1948.

W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Acting Director of Industries.
Colombo, August 3, 1948.

Department of Industries.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received for grant-in-aid from the following weaving school.

Name of School.	Situation.
Sri Sanda Weaving School ..	Lindara, Mrigama-Colombo District

Observations for or against this application will be accepted not later than September 10, 1948.

W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Acting Director of Industries.
Colombo, August 13, 1948.

THE under-mentioned productions will be sold by public auction at the Court House premises, Hatton, on Saturday, August 21, 1948, commencing at 9 A.M., unless any of the productions are claimed beforehand.

T. QUENTIN FERNANDO,
Magistrate.

List.

10289 : 1 silver chain ; 10501 : 1 weeding scraper ; 9434 : 1 pruning knife, 1 baby flanner, 1 saree, 1 shirt, 1 pair shorts ; 10564 : 1 walking stick ; 10582 : 1 tapping knife ; 10604 : 1 glass ; 10607 : 1 glass ; 10605 : 1 glass ; 10601 : 1 bottle ; 10625 : 1 pruning knife, 1 shirt, 1 cloth bag ; 10514 : 1 pruning knife, 1 gunny ; 10829 : 1 diary, 1 note book ; 10825 : 1 padlock, 1 spanner iron hook ; 10862 : 1 verty, 2 white cloths, 1 pruning knife, 1 pipe A 20/3/3/48, 1 muslim cap ; 11527 : 1 pruning knife ; 10867 : 1 weeding scraper ; 10921 : 1 gunny ;

10993 : 2 bottles ; 10979 : 2 glasses ; 10980 : 1 glass ; 10981 : 1 glass ; 10955 : 1 pillow case, 3 handkerchiefs ; 10994 : 1 padlock, 1 key ; 11088 : 1 knife, 5 keys A 46/23/3/48, 1 coat, 1 towel, 2 banians, 1 gunny bag ; 11180 : 1 shirt ; 11200 : 1 marmotta, 1 iron pipe, 1 padlock, 1 iron rod ; 10845 : 1 hasp ; 10809 : 1 bush shirt, 1 coat, 1 silk sarong, one coat, 1 verty, 1 muffler, 1 gunny bag ; 10043 : Some school books ; 11373 : 2 bundles of firewood ; 11376 : 1 glass ; 11377 : 1 bottle, 11442 : 1 lb. onions ; 11159 : 1 pruning knife ; 11443 : 1 pruning knife ; 11457 : 1 glass, 1 coat ; 11435 : 1 weeding scraper ; 11393 : 1 bush shirt, 1 handkerchief ; 11495 : 1 tumbler ; 11496 : 1 glass ; 11484, 11526 : 1 table knife ; 11629 : 1 padlock, 1 staple ; 11653 : 1 pillow case ; 10748 : 1 padlock and key ; 11484, 11273 : 2 bundles firewood.
Tea :— 11582 : 61 lb. ; 11685 : 14 lb. ; 11690 : 4 oz. ; S.R. 26/25/5/48, 4 bags ; 11691 : 3 oz. ; 11787 : 61 lb. ; 11788 : 69 lb. ; 11789 : 63 lb. ; 11790 : 2 gunnies, 46 lb. ; 11791 : 2 gunnies, 57 lb. 11/32, 1 parcel of tea ; 10838 : 1 bottle of 20 oz. ; 11601 : 9 bags 460 lbs. ; 11236 : 2 cloth bags 6½ lbs.

Interruption to Traffic on Roads.

NORWOOD DISTRICT—CENTRAL DIVISION.

Norton Carolina road and Approach road to Watawala Railway Station.

IT is hereby notified for general information that during the period commencing on August 12 and ending on August 18, 1948, owing to transport of heavy materials for the Hydro Electric Scheme, normal traffic on the above roads will be held up at selected passing places for short periods until the trailer carrying the heavy materials has passed them.

It would therefore be advisable for all intending users of these roads to use alternative routes as far as practicable in order to avoid interruption.

J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

Interruption to Traffic on Roads.

NORWOOD DISTRICT—CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Carolina-Norton-Wanarajah road.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the new bridge over the Norton Dam at the Hydro-Electric Scheme will be opened for traffic from about the 1st week of August, 1948.

2. Traffic will be diverted along upper road at culvert 6/1, Carolina—Norton—Wanarajah road, to meet the eastern approach to the new bridge and then over the new bridge to meet Norton-Maskeliya road.

J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

Interruption to Traffic—Kurunegala District.

WITH reference to the notification published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,893 of August 6, 1948, under the above heading, it is hereby notified that the temporary bridge in place of bridge No. 26/3 on the Peradeniya—Siyambalagama road is open for 4-ton traffic.

Public Works Office, J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, August 9, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

Interruption to Traffic.

Kiribathamuna Bridge No. 3/3 on Weeraketiya Middeniya Road.

IT is hereby notified that the temporary bridge No. 3/3 Kiribathamuna—Weeraketiya—Middeniya road, is restricted to carry loads not exceeding 4 tons over this bridge until further notice.

Public Works Office, J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, August 6, 1948. for Director of Public Works.

1/3/11 (MFG).

Customs Notification (Bond) No. 48/8.

The Customs Ordinance (Chapter 185).

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 69 of the Customs Ordinance (Chapter 185), I, Richard Montagu Gybbon Monypenny, Acting Principal Collector of Customs, do with the approval of the Minister of Finance, granted by virtue of the powers vested in him by that section, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary*, No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, by this notice published in accordance with his directions, approve and appoint a part of store known as No. 3 store situated in the premises bearing assessment No. 21, Mill street, Hulftsdorp and bounded on the North by Ferry street, on the west by Mill street and on the south and east by the Sah Sebastian Canal, as a warehouse in which liquor and wines imported by Messrs. Orient Co. (Ceylon Ltd.), may be warehoused, kept and secured without payment of duty on the first entry thereof.

No. W. H. K.
H. M. Customs,
Colombo, August 9, 1948. R. M. G. MONYPENNY,
Acting Principal Collector.

Accounts of the Post Office Savings Bank for the Year ending
December 31, 1946.

Revenue and Expenditure Account for the Year ended
December 31, 1946.

EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	o.	Rs.	c.
To Interest credited to depositors ..			1,840,124	26
Expenses of Management :—				
(a) Salaries ..	327,337	43		
(b) Payments paid direct from Savings Bank funds ..	122,859	94		
(c) Payment to revenue in respect of services rendered by sundry departments and indirect charges ..	27,001	93		
(d) Holiday warrants and travelling expenses ..	8,485	3		
(e) Rent and maintenance of promises, stationery, &c. ..	24,387	38		
(f) Miscellaneous payments ..	5,146	93		
Miscellaneous payments ..			515,218	64
Balance carried to reserve fund ..			108,698	67
			2,464,622	42

REVENUE.	Rs.	c.
By Interest on investments ..	2,423,806	47
Fees on issue of new Pass Books to replace lost ones ..	1,500	11
Miscellaneous receipts ..	5,221	32
Dividends to be received on stocks marked "XD" ..	34,094	52
	2,464,622	42

Accounts of deposits and withdrawals for the Year ending
December 31, 1946.

DEPOSITS.	Rs.	c.
To Balance at credit of depositors on January 1, 1946 ..	64,950,979	67
Deposits received ..	68,091,565	44
Interest credited to depositors ..	1,840,124	26
	134,882,669	37

WITHDRAWALS.	Rs.	c.
By Withdrawals ..	31,415,635	91
Balance at credit of depositors on December 31, 1946 ..	103,467,033	46
	134,882,669	37

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

	Rs.	c.
To Depreciation of investments ..	20,168	59
Balance carried to Reserve Fund ..	3,829,498	71
	3,849,667	30

	Rs.	c.
By Depreciation of investments ..	3,849,667	30
	3,849,667	30

RESERVE FUND.

	Rs.	c.
To Balance on December 31, 1946 ..	7,681,569	13
	7,681,569	13
	Rs.	c.
By Balance January 1, 1946 ..	3,743,371	75
Investments adjustment account* ..	3,829,498	71
Revenue and expenditure ..	108,698	67
	7,681,569	13

*Nett Appreciation.

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1946.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	c.
Depositors ..	103,467,033	46
Reserve ..	7,681,569	13
Sundry creditors ..	260,037	95
Cash advanced from Postal funds ..	23,187	66
	111,431,828	20
	Rs.	c.
ASSETS.		
Cash in banks ..	2,134,779	37
Cash in Trustee's account ..	41,009	64
Cash at Post Offices and in transit ..	662,677	16
Investments at market value ..	107,750,097	96
Dividends to be received on stocks marked "XD" ..	34,094	52

ASSETS.	Rs.	c.
Funds awaiting investments in London ..	601,759	52
Sundry debots ..	205,382	92
Suspense account ..	2,027	11
	111,431,828	20

D. G. SINGANAYAGAM,
Accountant, G. P. O.

T. D. PERERA,
Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.

R. N. BOND,
Permanent Secretary to the Ministry,
Posts and Telecommunications.

A. I. PERERA,
Postmaster-General.

December 23, 1947.

The accounts of the Post Office Savings Bank above set forth have been audited under my direction. I have obtained all the information and explanations that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that, in my opinion, the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up, so as to exhibit a correct view of the affairs of the Post Office Savings Bank.

Audit Office,
Colombo, July 14, 1948.

P. W. KAULE,
for Auditor-General.

Notes —

No. of new accounts opened ..	130,484
No. of accounts closed ..	5,236
No. of depositors ..	1,043,563
No. of deposits ..	1,128,951
No. of withdrawals ..	407,753

Post of Temporary Stenographer.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 noon, on August 20, 1948, for the post of Temporary Stenographer in this office. The salary attached to the post is Rs. 3 per diem, plus war allowance. After 6 months' satisfactory service the selected candidate will be placed on the salary scale of Rs. 100—6—170 per mensem plus war allowance.

2. The speed required is 90 words per minute in shorthand, 30 words per minute in typewriting.

3. The applicants should state their educational qualifications and previous experience, if any.

4. The post is temporary, non-pensionable and terminable on a month's notice.

K. V. RANGANATHAN,
for Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Trincomalee, August 5, 1948.

Civil Aviation Department.

Post of Radio Mechanic.

APPLICATIONS are invited from Ceylonese between the ages of 24 and 32 years for a post of Radio Mechanic in the Civil Aviation Department. For purposes of the age limit, the period of engagement in the fighting services and civil defence services will be deducted from the age.

2. Candidates should have a good knowledge of radio receiving and transmitting equipment and minimum of three years practical experience in their maintenance and repair.

3. The salary attached to the post is Rs. 1,200 rising to Rs. 1,992 per annum by 11 annual increments of Rs. 72 each. Rent and war allowances are payable. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the Public Service Regulations, the Financial Regulations and any other regulations or orders of Government.

4. The appointment will be on 6 months' probation.

5. The selected candidate will normally be stationed at Ratmalana, but should be prepared to serve in any part of the Island, if so required.

6. Application should be made in the form shown below, and should reach the Director of Civil Aviation before 12 noon on August 24, 1948.

(P. O. Box No. 535), L. S. B. PERERA,
Lotus road, Fort, Colombo 1, Director of Civil Aviation.
August 9, 1948.

Form of Application.

Name and address : _____
Age : _____
Educational qualifications : _____
Technical qualifications : _____
Experience (full details of present and past experience, types of equipment handled and at least one certificate from previous employers to be attached) : _____
Whether able to transmit and receive in the morse code, if so state speed : _____
Any further remarks in support of application : _____
(Signature of candidate) : _____

Department of Industries.

Vacancies for Demonstrators, Cottage Industries
(Lacquer and Rattan).

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Acting Director of Industries till noon on August 27, 1948, for the following posts:—

Three posts of Grade III. Cottage Industries Demonstrators—
(Lacquer) on the salary scale of Rs. 480/576—18—
756.

Two posts of Grade III. Cottage Industries Demonstrators—
(Rattan) on the salary scale of Rs. 480/576—18—
756.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese at least 21 years and not more than 40 years of age on September 1, 1948, and should have passed the Industrial Teacher's Certificate examination held by the Ceylon Technical College in the respective Industries.

Applications from ex-servicemen in His Majesty's fighting forces during the last war will be allowed to deduct their period of mobilized service since September 3, 1939, from their ages, for the purposes of maximum age limit, and will be eligible for consideration.

3. The posts are temporary. The grant of leave and payment of rent allowance will be in accordance with the Financial Regulations of Government. The appointment will be on trial for one year.

4. Subject to certain exceptions regarding insurance policies, the selected candidates will be required to contribute to the Public Service Provident Fund 5 per cent. of their salary and will be eligible to contribute a further 5 per cent. if they so desire. In either case the Government contribution will be equal to 7½ per cent. paid to their credit at the close of each financial year.

5. Applications should be made substantially in the form given below and should be addressed to the Director of Industries, P. O. Box 500, Secretariat premises, Colombo 1, and not personally to any officer of the Department. Original certificates should not be forwarded until they are called for.

6. Anyone who desires to recommend an applicant should do so by giving him a testimonial. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidate.

7. Successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination and to serve in any part of the Island.

8. Applications from officers holding temporary appointments in Government Service should be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. Applications from permanent officers in Government Service will not be entertained.

9. Should an interview be deemed necessary in the case of any applicant, he should present himself for an interview in Colombo, at an appointed time and place which will be communicated to him. No travelling expenses will be paid on this account.

W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Acting Director of Industries.

Colombo, August 10, 1948.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRIES.

Application for Appointment.

(The information and particulars asked for in the following cages should be given as fully as possible in the applicant's own handwriting).

1. Post applied for and reference to the advertisement, if any: _____.
2. Full name, nationality and postal address: _____.
3. Age and date of birth: _____.
4. Whether married or single: _____.
5. Educational qualifications and subjects taken in last examination passed, (with dates): _____.
6. Where educated and date of leaving school: _____.
7. Employment since leaving school with dates and full particulars of service under Government, if any: _____.
8. Proficiency in reading, writing and interpreting; Sinhalese and Tamil: _____.
9. Particulars of any special qualifications—(e.g., professional, technical, athletic): _____.
10. Names and designation of persons from whom character certificates have been obtained; (copies, not originals of such certificates should be attached): _____.
11. Names and designations of referees who know applicant personally and from whom certificates have not been obtained: _____.
12. Particulars of any claims—(e.g., experience in the type of post for which candidate applies): _____.

Date: _____ 194—. Signature: _____.

To: The Director of Industries,
Secretariat Premises, Colombo 1.

Department of Information.

Posts of Translators.

APPLICATIONS are invited for four posts of Translators (two Sinhalese and two Tamils) on the scale of salary, Rs. 1,440—120—3,480. Applications should be made on the form shown below and addressed to the Information Officer, Ground Floor, Secretariat Building, Colombo, to reach him before 12 noon on August 28, 1948. Applications which are not in the prescribed form will be rejected.

2. Rent and cost of living allowances will be paid at the usual Government rates. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable, and the appointments are liable to termination on a month's notice. The selected candidates will be appointed on one year's trial and will be subject to the Public Service, Financial and other Regulations of Government.

3. In the event of the posts being declared Scheduled Posts under the Provident Fund Ordinance, the selected candidates will be required to contribute 5 per cent. of their salary to the Fund, towards which the Government contribution will be 7½ per cent.

4. Applicants should be Ceylonese and should have at least passed the S. S. C. Examination in English with Sinhalese or Tamil as a subject. They should be above 25 years of age on September 1, 1948, and should have experience in translation work. Applications will also be considered from demobilized military personal and full time members of the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence Services, who had not left those services of their own accord.

5. Candidates with special aptitude for the required type of work will be given preference, irrespective of age and educational qualifications.

6. Applicants should attach copies of certificates which will not be returned. The applications will not be acknowledged.

7. Anyone who desires to recommend an applicant should do so by giving him a testimonial. Any attempt to interview the Head of Department or any other officer of the Department or otherwise influence the selection of an applicant will render such applicant liable to disqualification.

Department of Information, H. A. J. HULUGALLE,
Colombo 1, August 10, 1948. Information Officer.

FORM REFERRED TO.

Application for Translators.

Post applied for:—

1. Full name and postal address of applicant: _____.
 2. Nationality and place of birth: _____.
 3. Date of birth, age last birthday: _____.
 4. Educational qualification: _____.
 5. Qualification in Sinhalese or Tamil: _____.
 6. Experience in translation work: _____.
 7. Names of persons giving testimonials: _____.
- (Only copies of three should be attached).

Date: _____ Signature of applicant: _____.

Department of Information.

Posts of Press Officer, and Lay-out and Propaganda Officer.

APPLICATIONS are invited for one post of Press Officer and one post of Lay-out and Propaganda Officer in this Department up to 12 noon, August 28, 1948. The salary scale for the posts are Rs. 3,600—180—5,040 per annum.

2. Rent and cost of living allowances will be paid at the usual Government rates. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable, and the appointments are liable to termination on a month's notice. The selected candidates will be appointed on one year's trial and will be subject to the Public Service, Financial and other Regulations of Government.

3. In the event of the posts being declared Scheduled Posts under the Provident Fund Ordinance, the selected candidates will be required to contribute 5 per cent. of their salary to the Fund, towards which the Government contribution will be 7½ per cent.

4. Applications should be substantially in the form given below and any applications that are not correctly filled in are liable to be rejected.

5. Applicants should be Ceylonese and should be not less than 25 years and not more than 35 years on September 1, 1948. They should have passed the S. S. C. (English) or equivalent or a higher examination. Applications from candidates in Government Service and others possessing experience in press work will be considered irrespective of age and educational qualifications. Applications will also be entertained from demobilized military personnel and full-time members of the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence Services, who had not left these Services of their own accord. In their case they will be allowed to deduct periods of such service in computing their age for eligibility.

6. Preference will be given to candidates who have a good knowledge of Sinhalese and Tamil.

7. Applicants should attach copies of certificates which will not be returned. The applications will not be acknowledged.

8. Anyone who desires to recommend an applicant should do so by giving him a testimonial. Any attempt to interview the Information Officer or any member of his Department on behalf of any candidate will render that candidate liable to disqualification.

H. A. J. HULUGALLE,
Information Officer.

Department of Information,
Colombo 1, August 10, 1948.

FORM REFERRED TO.

*Application for the Post of Press Officer
and Lay-out and Propaganda Officer.*

1. Post applied for : _____.
2. Full name and postal address : _____.
3. Nationality and place of birth : _____.
4. Date of birth (age last birthday) : _____.
5. Educational qualification : _____.
6. Any knowledge of Sinhalese and/or Tamil : _____.
7. How employed since leaving School or College : _____.
8. Present employment and period of service : _____.
9. Any special experience or aptitude for the work applied for : _____.
10. Name and address of two persons of standing to whom reference can be made as to your ability and character : _____.

Date : _____.

Signature. _____

Posts of Assistant Food Controllers (Temporary).

APPLICATIONS are invited for the posts of Assistant Food Controllers (Temporary) for the Food Commissioner's Department. Applications should reach this office on or before 12 noon on Monday, August 23, 1948, and should be substantially in the form shown below.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese and should produce birth certificates before final selection if called upon to do so.

3. Applicants should be graduates between the ages 22 and 35 years. Preference will be given to candidates who are able to read, write and converse fluently in both Sinhalese and Tamil. Applications from permanent Government servants will not be entertained.

4. The appointments are temporary and liable to be terminated without notice. The scale of salary for the post is Rs. _____.

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5. The candidates selected for appointment should furnish security in a sum of Rs. 2,500 cash of which Rs. 1,000 should be paid on appointment and the balance in instalments of Rs. 37.50 which will be deducted from their salaries.

6. Any attempt to interview the Food Controller or any member of his Department on behalf of any candidate will render that candidate liable to disqualification.

7. Applications should not be addressed to me personally.

8. There is no guarantee that the appointment will last for any length of time.

M. L. D. CASPERSZ,

Food Commissioner (Control and Distribution).

Office of the Food Commissioner (C & D),
Edinburgh Crescent,
Colombo, August 6, 1948.

*Application for the post of Assistant Food Controller
(Temporary) in the Food Commissioner's Department.*

1. Name in full (in block letters) and address : _____.
2. Nationality : _____.
3. Date of birth and whether supported by a birth certificate : _____.
4. Married or single : _____.
5. Educational qualifications : _____.
6. Are you able to converse (fluently) in—
(a) Sinhalese : _____.
(b) Tamil : _____.
7. Can you read and write—
(a) Sinhalese : _____.
(b) Tamil : _____.
8. Means of transport (i.e., car, motor cycle or push cycle) possessed by you : _____.
9. How have you been employed since leaving college : _____.
10. Are you well acquainted with any particular district or districts in the Island : _____.
11. Any claims you wish to urge in support of your application : _____.
12. Names and addresses of two persons of standing to whom reference can be made regarding your ability and character : _____.
13. Testimonials from whom : _____.
(Attach copies of not more than three recent testimonials); originals need not be sent but should be produced if required.

Signature of Applicant : _____.

Public Works Department.

Temporary Assistant Architects, Grade I.

APPLICATIONS are invited from Chartered Architects who possess the Associate R.I.B.A. qualification for 2 posts of Temporary Assistant Architects, Grade I., in the Architectural Branch of the P. W. D.

2. Candidates should be below the age of 40 with at least 5 years' experience as a fully qualified architect subsequent to passing the A.R.I.B.A. Examination. The restrictions with regard to age may be waived in the cases of candidates already in Government Service or who are demobilised members of the Armed Forces.

3. The salary scale attached to the post is Rs. 8,040—360 & 480—Rs. 12,720 per annum. A commencing salary higher than the initial salary of the post may be fixed according to the qualifications and experience of the candidates selected and present positions held by them. Applicants should state at which points in the scale advertised they wish to be placed in accordance with their experience.

4. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable and the appointments will be made on an agreement for three years in the first instance with possible extension of two years. The selected officers will be required to contribute 5 per cent. of their salary to the Ceylon Government Public Service Provident Fund. The Government contribution is 7½ per cent. of salary.

5. The selected candidates, if not already in the Public Service, will, before appointment, be required to pass a medical examination by a Government Medical Officer.

6. Rent allowance is payable. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be in accordance with Ceylon Government Regulations as are applicable to temporary employees.

7. Applications should be submitted only in the form appended; and should be sent to the Director of Public Works, Branch "E", Colombo, to reach him before 12 noon on Wednesday, September 29, 1948. Applications must be forwarded under registered cover endorsed "Asst. Architect". Applications should not be addressed to any officer of the Department personally. Application from a person already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of his Department.

8. Original certificates, &c., need not be forwarded with the application; it would suffice if copies are sent in the first instance, but the applicants should be prepared to produce original certificates if called for.

Public Works Office, R. G. LEEBRUGGEN,
Colombo, August 9, 1948. Acting Director of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Application Form for _____.

1. Name in full : _____.
2. Present address : _____.
3. Date and place of birth : _____.
4. Nationality : State—(i) If born in Ceylon : _____.
(ii) If parents are Ceylonese : _____.

(The definition of term Ceylonese is given below.)

5. Post held at present, if any : _____.
Salary received : _____.
6. If not employed at present, last position held : _____.
Salary received : _____.
7. Educational qualifications : _____.
(State examinations passed)
8. Technical qualifications : _____.
(State examinations passed)
9. Particulars of training, apprenticeship, &c., with dates : _____.
10. Particulars of previous experience, appointments, &c., with dates : _____.
11. Indicate under what clause (if the post is advertised) eligibility is claimed : _____.
12. Particulars of unit, rank and dates of joining and discharge, if an ex-serviceman : _____.

Date : _____, 194—.

Signature. _____

Notes.—(1) Copies of not less than two recent testimonials should be forwarded with this application if applicant is not already in Government Service. Originals of certificates, &c., should be produced at the interview.

(2) The term "Ceylonese" for all purposes of recruitment to the Public Services is defined as:—

- (a) a British subject who is born in Ceylon, one of whose parents was born in Ceylon; or
- (b) a British subject who is a descendant of a person falling within category (a); or
- (c) a British subject deemed by the Minister, in view of special circumstances, to be a Ceylonese.

(3) Particulars may be given overleaf, if space provided under any page is insufficient.

Public Works Department.*Temporary Assistant Architects, Grade II.*

APPLICATIONS are invited from Chartered Architects who possess the Associate R.I.B.A. qualification for 6 posts of Temporary Assistant Architects, Grade II., in the Architectural Branch of the P. W. D.

2. Candidates should be below the age of 35. The restrictions with regard to age may be waived in the cases of candidates already in Government Service or who are demobilised members of the Armed Forces.

3. The salary scale attached to the post is Rs. 4,800—360—Rs. 7,680 per annum. A commencing salary higher than the initial salary of the post may be fixed according to the qualifications and experience of the candidates selected and present positions held by them. Applicants should state at which points in the scale advertised they wish to be placed in accordance with their experience.

4. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable and the appointments will be made on an agreement for 3 years in the first instance with possible extension of 2 years. The selected officers will be required to contribute 5 per cent. of their salary to the Ceylon Government Public Service Provident Fund. The Government contribution is 7½ per cent. of salary.

5. The selected candidates, if not already in the Public Service, will, before appointment, be required to pass a medical examination by a Government Medical Officer.

6. Rent allowance is payable. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be in accordance with Ceylon Government Regulations as are applicable to temporary employees.

7. Applications should be submitted only in the form appended; and should be sent to the Director of Public Works, Branch "E", Colombo, to reach him before 12 noon on Wednesday, September 29, 1948. Applications must be forwarded under registered cover endorsed "Asst. Architects". Applications should not be addressed to any officer of the Department personally. Application from a person already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of his Department.

8. Original certificates, &c., need not be forwarded with the application; it would suffice if copies are sent in the first instance, but the applicants should be prepared to produce original certificates if called for.

Public Works Office, R. G. LEEMBRUGGEN,
Colombo, August 9, 1948. Acting Director of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Application Form for _____.

1. Name in full : _____.
 2. Present address : _____.
 3. Date and place of birth : _____.
 4. Nationality : State—(i.) If born in Ceylon : _____.
(ii.) If parents are Ceylonese : _____.
- (The definition of term Ceylonese is given below.)
5. Post held at present, if any : _____.
Salary received : _____.
 6. If not employed at present, last position held : _____.
Salary received : _____.
 7. Educational qualifications : _____.
(State examinations passed)
 8. Technical qualifications : _____.
(State examinations passed)
 9. Particulars of training, apprenticeship, &c., with dates : _____.
 10. Particulars of previous experience, appointments, &c., with dates : _____.
 11. Indicate under what clause (if the post is advertised) eligibility is claimed : _____.
 12. Particulars of unit, rank and dates of joining and discharge, if an ex-serviceman : _____.

Date _____, 194—.

Signature.

Notes.—(1) Copies of not less than two recent testimonials should be forwarded with this application if applicant is not already in Government Service. Originals of certificates, &c., should be produced at the interview.

(2) The term "Ceylonese" for all purposes of recruitment to the Public Services is defined as:—

- (a) a British subject who is born in Ceylon, one of whose parents was born in Ceylon; or
- (b) a British subject who is a descendant of a person falling within category (a); or
- (c) a British subject deemed by the Minister, in view of special circumstances, to be a Ceylonese.

(3) Particulars may be given overleaf, if space provided under any cage is insufficient.

Public Works Department.*Temporary Junior Assistant Architects.*

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Temporary Junior Assistant Architects in the Architectural Branch of this Department.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese below the age of 30 and should have passed the Intermediate R.I.B.A. Examination. The restrictions with regard to age may be waived in the cases of candidates already in Government Service or who are demobilised members of the Armed Forces.

3. The salary scale attached to the post is Rs. 3,000 per annum rising by annual increments of Rs. 360 to Rs. 4,080 per annum. A commencing salary higher than the initial of the scale may be fixed according to the qualifications and experience of the candidate.

4. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable. The selected officers will be required to contribute 5 per cent. of their salary to the Public Service Provident Fund. The Government Contribution is 7½ per cent. of salary.

5. The selected candidates, if not already in the Public Service, will, before appointment, be required to pass a medical examination by a Government Medical Officer.

6. Rent allowance is payable. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be in accordance with Ceylon Government Regulations as are applicable to temporary employees.

7. Applications should be submitted only in the form appended; and should be sent to the Director of Public Works, Branch "E", Colombo, to reach him before 12 noon on Wednesday, September 29, 1948. Applications must be forwarded under registered cover endorsed "Temporary Junior Assistant Architects". Applications should not be addressed to any officer of the Department personally. Application from a person already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of his Department.

8. Original certificates, &c., need not be forwarded with the application; it would suffice if copies are sent in the first instance, but the applicants should be prepared to produce original certificates if called for.

Public Works Office, R. G. LEEMBRUGGEN,
Colombo August 9, 1948. Acting Director of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Application Form for _____.

1. Name in full : _____.
 2. Present address : _____.
 3. Date and place of birth : _____.
 4. Nationality : State—(i.) If born in Ceylon : _____.
(ii.) If parents are Ceylonese : _____.
- (The definition of term Ceylonese is given below.)

5. Post held at present, if any : _____.
Salary received : _____.
6. If not employed at present, last position held : _____.
Salary received : _____.
7. Educational qualifications : _____.
(State examinations passed)
8. Technical qualifications : _____.
(State examinations passed)
9. Particulars of training, apprenticeship, &c., with dates : _____.
10. Particulars of previous experience, appointments, &c., with dates : _____.
11. Indicate under what clause (if the post is advertised) eligibility is claimed : _____.
12. Particulars of unit, rank and dates of joining and discharge, if an ex-serviceman : _____.

Date _____, 194—.

Signature.

Notes.—(1) Copies of not less than two recent testimonials should be forwarded with this application if applicant is not already in Government Service. Originals of certificates, &c., should be produced at the interview.

(2) The term "Ceylonese" for all purposes of recruitment to the Public Services is defined as:—

- (a) a British subject who is born in Ceylon, one of whose parents was born in Ceylon; or
- (b) a British subject who is a descendant of a person falling within category (a); or
- (c) a British subject deemed by the Minister, in view of special circumstances, to be a Ceylonese.

(3) Particulars may be given overleaf, if space provided under any cage is insufficient.

Vacancies—Education Department.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Acting Director of Education (Administration Branch), Colombo, till 12 noon on August 23, 1948, for the posts of 1 Cinema Operator on a salary of Rs. 744—42—1,164 and 2 Assistant Cinema Operators on a salary of Rs. 576—18—936 for the Departmental Mobile Cinema Units.

2. Applicants should be Ceylonese and should have a good knowledge of talkie cinema machines. The applications should contain the following information:—

- (a) Full name
- (b) Date of birth
- (c) Educational qualifications
- (d) Experience in talkie cinema.

3. The applicants should not be over 30 years of age. They should attach copies of 3 recent testimonials in support of their experience and character.

4. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the Public Service Regulations.

5. The appointments are temporary and non-pensionable.

Education Office, W. A. DE SILVA,
Colombo, August 10, 1948. Acting Director of Education.

Department of the Commissioner of Motor Transport.*Posts of Examiners of Motor Cars.*

APPLICATIONS will be received by me up to 3 P.M. on August 31, 1948, for 2 posts of Examiners of Motor Cars, Department of the Commissioner of Motor Transport.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese and should not be less than 21 years and not more than 35 years of age on August 31, 1948. Ex-servicemen may deduct entire period of the present war service from their ages.

3. (i.) Applicants should—

- (a) have passed the London Matriculation, or an equivalent or higher examination;
- (b) have a good knowledge of motor mechanism; and
- (c) have worked at least for 2 years in a recognised motor garage as an apprentice or engineer.

(ii.) Applications from candidates in Government service of 5 years or over will also be considered if they are not more than 40 years of age and have a good knowledge of motor mechanism.

(iii.) Applications from those who served in H. M. Forces will be entertained if they have passed the J. S. C. Examination and done work in connection with motor transport during the war.

4. Applicants should be prepared to undergo a written test.

5. The scale of salary will be Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 4,320 per annum by 15 annual increments of Rs. 120 and 4 of Rs. 180 with Efficiency Bars before Rs. 2,640 and Rs. 3,780. The posts are pensionable. The appointment will be on trial for 2 years.

6. The successful candidates if not already in the public service will be required to furnish medical certificates as to their physical fitness to serve in any part of the Island. They will also be required to possess motor cars of less than 15 cwt. for official travelling. They will be paid a fixed transport allowance of Rs. 60 per month or Rs. 50 if the tare of the car is less than 11 cwt.

7. Applications should be made in the applicant's own handwriting and should be addressed to the Commissioner of Motor Transport, P. O. Box 533, Colombo 7, and not personally to any officer of the Department.

8. Copies of recent testimonials and certificates of character from four responsible persons should be enclosed.

9. Any attempt to interview the Commissioner or other officers of the Department or otherwise influence the selection of an applicant is likely to disqualify such applicant.

10. Applications from officers in the Government Service should be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments.

N. MOONESINGHE,

Commissioner of Motor Transport.

Colombo, August 6, 1948.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Sale of Rent of Foreign Liquor Tavern at Tebuwana for 1948-49.**

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling foreign liquor (including locally made malt liquor) under a tavern licence from October 1, 1948, to September 30, 1949, in suitable premises, within the under-mentioned local area, to be approved by the Government, subject to—

- (i.) the Foreign Liquor Tavern Rent sale conditions appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 9,540 of April 12, 1946.
- (ii.) the General Conditions applicable to all Excise Licences appearing in Excise Notification No. 329 published in *Government Gazette* No. 8,368 of May 11, 1938.

2. Every tender must be made on the prescribed form which may be obtained at the Kalutara Kachcheri and must be accompanied by a Kachcheri receipt acknowledging the deposit of a sum of Rs. 50.

3. Every tender must be placed in a sealed envelope clearly marked on the top left hand corner thus: "Tender for Foreign Liquor Tavern, Tebuwana", and must reach the Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, before 10 A.M. on September 2, 1948. Tenders will close on the date and time specified above.

Tenderers should be present at the Kachcheri at the time of closing tenders.

4. The successful tenderer shall immediately on being declared to be the purchaser of the privilege, sign the conditions of sale and pay to the Assistant Government Agent, as security deposit a sum equivalent to two months' rent payable for that privilege.

5. If any tenderer, on being declared the purchaser of the privilege, declines to sign the conditions of sale or fails to furnish the required security when called upon to do so, the tender deposit made by him will be declared to be forfeited, and the defaulter will render himself liable to have his name entered in the list of defaulters in respect of all Excise Licences. Subject to this exception the deposits of all tenderers will be returned after the conditions of sale have been signed by the successful tenderer or bidder and the aforesaid security given by the successful tenderer or bidder.

6. The Assistant Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders without assigning any reason for so doing.

Serial No.	Division.	Local Area.	Hour of opening.		Hour of closing.
			A.M.	P.M.	
3.	Pasdun korale West	Within the village of Tebuwana	8.0	7.30	

7. Further particulars can be obtained on application at the Kalutara Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,

Kalutara, August 9, 1948.

S. M. DUFF,

Assistant Government Agent.