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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL No. 49 of 1949

No. D/1/68.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, in terms of Ceylon Defence Force Regulation 38, has been pleased to grant an extension of Command by one year to *Brevet Colonel R. J. F. MENDIS, O.B.E., E.D.*, Officer Commanding, Ceylon Defence Force Staff Corps, with effect from February 1, 1949.

By His Excellency's command,
K. VAITHIANATHAN,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Defence and External Affairs.
Colombo, January 14, 1949.

No. 52 of 1949

No. JAA/8/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint *Mr. F. E. ALLES* to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Magistrate, Batticaloa on the 31st January, 1949, to hear *M. C. Batticaloa Case No. 6959*.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

No. 53 of 1949

No. JRL. 6/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint *Mr. EDWARD A. DE LIVERA, Proctor S. C., Colombo*, to act as President, Rural Court, Pitigal Korales North and South, Chilaw District, during the absence of *Mr. LINDEN DE ALWIS* on the 19th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 11th January, 1949.

No. 54 of 1949

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. ALLAN SENANAYAKE, Proctor S. C., Avissawella*, to act as President, Rural Court, Dahigampal Korales, Lower Bulathgama, Atulgum and Panawal Korales, Avissawella District, during the absence of *Mr. E. S. A. RATNAYAKE* on the 15th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 10th January, 1949.

No. 55 of 1949

No. JRL. 2/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint *Mr. P. MALALGODA*, acting Supernumerary Officer in Class III of the Judicial Service to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Magistrate, Colombo, on the 20th January, 1949, to try *M. C. Colombo Case No. 17401*.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 17th January, 1949.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint *Mr. W. B. RODRIGO, Proctor S. C., Kandy*, to act as President, Rural Court, Tumpane and Harispattu, Kandy District, during the absence of *Mr. M. B. ABEYKOON* on the 15th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

No. 56 of 1949

No. JRL. 17/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. W. G. UDUGAMA, Proctor S. C., Matale, to act as President, Rural Court, Matale South and East, Matale District, during the absence of Mr. GASTON JAYAWARDENE on the 17th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 17th January, 1949.

No. 57 of 1949

No. JRL. 30/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. K. ARYATHURAI, Proctor S. C., Vavuniya, to act as President, Rural Court, Vavuniya, and Additional President, Rural Court, Mannar, Vavuniya District, during the absence of Mr. R. PARAMAKURU on the 15th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

No. 58 of 1949

No. JR/AA. 31/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. P. V. SENATHIRAJAH, Proctor S. C., Vavuniya, to act as Additional President, Rural Court, Vavuniya, and Additional President, Rural Court, Mannar, Anuradhapura District, on the 26th January, 1949, to try Rural Court Vavuniya Case No. 702/CVL.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

No. 59 of 1949

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 and South, Eruvil Porativu Pattus, Batticaloa District, during the absence of Mr. J. SITHARAM from the 24th to the 27th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 17th January, 1949.

No. 60 of 1949

No. JRL. 25/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. F. P. SENEVIRATNE, Proctor S. C., Anuradhapura, to act as President, Rural Court, Tamankaduwa Palata and Kalagam Palata, and Additional President, Rural Court, Hurulu Palata, Anuradhapura District, during the absence of Mr. T. B. MAHADIULWEWA from the 17th to the 31st January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 18th January, 1949.

No. 61 of 1949

No. JRL. 3/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. K. SUBRAMANIAM, Proctor S. C., Anuradhapura, to act as President, Rural Court, Nuwaragam Palata East and West, Anuradhapura District, during the absence of Mr. W. L. B. BULANKULAME on the 17th and 18th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

No. 62 of 1949

No. JRL. 51/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. F. B. P. SENEVIRATNE, Proctor S. C., Kurunegala, to act as President, Rural Court, Wannu Hatpattu, Kurunegala District, during the absence of Mr. H. E. S. WICKREMATNE on the 15th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 10th January, 1949.

No. 63 of 1949

No. JRL. 75/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. A. G. SANDARATNE, Proctor S. C., Doncagamawa, to act as President, Rural Court, Katugampola Hatpattu, Kurunegala District, during the absence of Mr. C. A. RATNAYAKE on the 21st and 22nd January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

No. 64 of 1949

No. JRL. 49/48.

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. NAMBIHAL, Proctor S. C., Badulla, to act as President, Rural Court, Yatikanda-Wiyaluwa, and Additional President, Rural Court, Udukunda, Badulla District, during the absence of Mr. C. B. WETTEWE on the 15th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, January 13, 1949.

No. 65 of 1949

No. JRL. 42A/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. N. CATHARASWAMY, Proctor S. C., Badulla, to act as President, Rural Court, Wellessa Bintenne, and Additional President, Rural Court, Buttala Wellawaya, Badulla District, during the absence of Mr. F. W. TALDENIA on the 18th and 19th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 15th January, 1949.

No. 66 of 1949

No. JRL. 47/49.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. W. GUNAWARDENA, Proctor S. C., Ratnapura, to act as President, Rural Court, Nawadun, Meda and Kukul Korales, and Additional President, Rural Court, Kuruwiti Korale, Ratnapura District, during the absence of Mr. J. WANASUNDERA from the 19th to the 22nd January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 17th January, 1949.

No. 67 of 1949

No. JRL. 44/48 (II).

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. T. ABEYSEKERA, Proctor S. C., Kegalla, to act as President, Rural Court, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales, and Additional President, Rural Court, Parankuru Korale, Kegalla District, during the absence of Mr. G. M. UDALAGAMA on the 19th January, 1949.

K. D. DE SILVA,
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 18th January, 1949.

No. 68 of 1949

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/35/48.

Mr. M. I. M. HANIFFA to be Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Magistrate, Colombo, on the 19th January, 1949, during the absence of Mr. D. A. LEANAGE.

No. JL/70/48.

Mr. P. G. DE SILVA to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avissawella and Additional District Judge, Avissawella, from the 12th to 15th January, 1949, during the absence of Mr. A. C. Z. WIJEYERATNE.

No. JAA/40/48.

Mr. B. R. G. WIJEYERAKOON to be Additional Magistrate, Matale, on the 31st January, 1949, to hear M. C. Matale Case No. 12495.

No. JAA/7/48.

Mr. K. T. E. DE SILVA to be Additional Magistrate, Balapitiya, on the 25th January, 1949, to try M. C. Balapitiya Case No. 61405.

No. JAA/17/48.

Mr. VICTOR DE SILVA to be Additional Magistrate, Kurunegala, at Kanadulla, on the 1st February, 1949, to hear M. C. Kanadulla Case No. 91.

No. JAA/51/48.

Mr. L. E. DAVID to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Puttalam and Additional District Judge, Puttalam, from the 18th January, 1949, until resumption of duties by Mr. D. E. WIJEYWARDENE.

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

Office of the Judicial Service Commission,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo, 18th January, 1949.

OTHER APPOINTMENTS.

No. 69 of 1949

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. H. L. KNUDSEN has resumed duties as Consul of Denmark at Colombo with effect from December 29, 1948.

K. VAITHIANATHAN,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of External Affairs.

Colombo, January 11, 1949.

No. 70 of 1949

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. R. F. EDM. Consul of Czechoslovakia at Colombo, has resigned and that the activities of the Consulate are temporarily suspended.

K. VAITHIANATHAN,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of External Affairs.

Colombo, January 11, 1949.

No. 71 of 1949

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

Mr. M. K. T. SANDYS to be attached to the Galle Kachcheri with effect from January 7, 1949.

Mr. D. C. L. AMERASINGHE to be an Assistant Settlement Officer under section 3 (1) of the Land Settlement Ordinance (Cap. 319) with effect from January 4, 1949.

Mr. N. P. WIJERATNE to be attached to the Batticaloa Kachcheri with effect from January 4, 1949.

Mr. N. Q. DIAS, Assistant Government Agent, Matara, to act temporarily as Assistant at Hambantota to the Government Agent, Southern Province, in addition to his own duties, with effect from January 10, 1949, until the resumption of duties by Mr. D. G. DAYARATNE.

C. E. JONES,
Secretary to the Treasury,
General Treasury,
Colombo, January 19, 1949.

No. 72 of 1949

THE Minister of Finance has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

Mr. N. Q. DIAS, C.C.S., Assistant Government Agent, Matara, to act in addition to his own duties, as Assistant Collector of Customs and Deputy Master Attendant, Hambantota, with effect from January 10, 1949, until the resumption of duties by Mr. D. G. DAYARATNE.

C. E. JONES,
Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Finance,
Ministry of Finance,
Colombo, January 19, 1949.

No. 73 of 1949

No. G. 28/43/6.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. R. H. L. BROTHER to be a Justice of the Peace for the judicial district of Avissawella with effect from the 23rd December, 1948.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice,
Colombo, 4th January 1949.

No. 74 of 1949

No. G. 33/43/21.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. ROMULUS AMARASURIYA to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Magistrate for the judicial district of Galle with effect from the 26th December, 1948.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice,
Colombo, 26th December, 1948.

No. 75 of 1949

No. G. 44/43/10.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. D. A. B. RATNAYAKE to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Magistrate for the judicial district of Kurunegala with effect from the 26th December, 1948.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice,
Colombo, 26th December, 1948.

No. 76 of 1949

No. G. 52/43/7.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. JAMES WILLIAM MADUWANWALA to be a Justice of the Peace for the judicial district of Ratnapura with effect from the 26th December, 1948, while acting as Divisional Revenue Officer, Kolonne Korale, Ratnapura District.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice,
Colombo, 26th December, 1948.

No. 77 of 1949

No. D. 31/47.

THE Minister of Justice has been pleased to appoint Mr. N. Q. DIAS to be Deputy Fiscal, Hambantota District, with effect from the 10th January, 1949.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice,
Colombo, 15th January, 1949.

No. 78 of 1949

No. G. 6/43/8.

THE Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr. M. Z. MOHIDEEN to act as an Inquirer for Karavakku Pattu Batticaloa District, from the 10th to the 14th January, 1949 or until the resumption of duties by Mr. M. NADARAJAH.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice,
Colombo, 11th January, 1949.

No. 79 of 1949

No. G. 6/43.

THE Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr MOHAMED ZUBAIR MOHIDEEN to be an Inquirer for the judicial districts of Batticaloa and Trincomalee with effect from the 26th December, 1948, while holding the office of Supernumerary Divisional Revenue Officer.

V. SIVA SUPRAMANIAM,
for Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Justice.
Colombo, 26th December, 1948.

No. 80 of 1949

No. EB/A (PF 25).

THE Honourable the Minister for Home Affairs and Rural Development has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

Mr. N. Q. DIAS, C.C.S., Assistant Government Agent, Matara, to act in addition to his own duties as Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Hambantota, with effect from January 10, 1949, until the resumption of duties by Mr. D. G. DAYARATNE.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Permanent Secretary to the
Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.
Colombo 1, January 19, 1949.

No. 81 of 1949

No. EB/A (PF 112).

THE Honourable the Minister for Home Affairs and Rural Development has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

Mr. L. B. ABAYARATNE, C.C.S., to act temporarily in addition to his own duties, as Additional Assistant Superintendent of Prisons, Badulla, with effect from December 23, 1948, until resumption of duties by Mr. E. L. FERNANDO, Assistant Superintendent of Prisons.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Permanent Secretary to the
Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.
Colombo 1, January 11, 1949.

No. 82 of 1949

THE Hon. the Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development has, under section 32 (1) of the Prisons Ordinance (Chapter 44) as modified by Proclamation in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, been pleased to appoint Messrs. A. R. SUPRAMANIAM and C. R. TAMBIAH to be Additional Prison Visitors of the Jaffna Prison for a period of one year with effect from the date of this Notification.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Permanent Secretary to the
Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.
Colombo 1, January 17, 1949.

No. 83 of 1949

THE Hon. the Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development has, under section 5 (1) of the Muslim Marriage and Divorce Registration Ordinance (Chapter 99), as modified by the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, appointed the under mentioned gentlemen to be members of the Board of Kathis, from January 1, 1949—

- Mr. MOHAMED ISMAIL MOHAMMED HANIFFA of El Darodo, 29, 34th Lane, Wellawatta;
Mr. ABDUL HAMEED MOHAMED ISMAIL of 139/141, Kynsey Road, Colombo;
Mr. AHAMADO CASSIM MOHAMADO of 146, Hulftsdorp Street, Colombo;
Mr. ABDUL RAHEMAN MOHAMED RAZEEN of 233, Darley Road, Colombo;
Mr. MOHAMADU HANIFA MAHMUDU NAINA MARIKAR of 49, Pendennis Avenue, Kollupitiya.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.
Colombo 1, January 8, 1949.

No. 84 of 1949

THE Honourable the Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development has been pleased to appoint Mr DISSANAYAKEGE FREDERICK WILLIAM PERERA to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Badulla and to practise as such in the English language.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Permanent Secretary to the
Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.
Colombo, January 10, 1949.

No. 85 of 1949

THE Honourable the Minister of Health and Local Government has been pleased, under section 15 (1) (a) of the Medical Ordinance (Chapter 90) as modified by Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, to nominate Dr. W. G. WICKREMASINGHE, Acting D. M. and S. S., to be the President of the Ceylon Medical Council with effect from January 16, 1949.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Local Government.
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

No. 86 of 1949

No. AD. 41.

THE Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government has been pleased, under the third proviso to section 20 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, to appoint Mr C. H. BEVEN as an additional Member of the District Road Committee, Kurunegala, for the years 1949, 1950, and 1951.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Local Government.
Colombo, January 11, 1949.

No. 87 of 1949

No. AD. 6.

THE Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government has been pleased, under the third proviso to section 20 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, to appoint Mr. J. C. MUNASINGHE, Mr. S. C. SHIRLEY COREA, and Mr. E. MUTHUKUMARU to be additional members of the District Road Committee, Puttalam-Chilay, for the years 1949, 1950, and 1951.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Local Government.
Colombo, January 11, 1949.

No. 88 of 1949

THE Hon. the Minister of Commerce and Trade has been pleased to appoint Mr. N. Q. DIAS, C.C.S., as Receiver of Wrecks for the District of Hambantota under section 2 of the Wrecks and Salvage Ordinance (Cap. 267) with effect from January 10, 1949, until the resumption of duties by Mr. D. G. DAYARATNE.

K. SOMASUNTHEARAM,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Commerce and Trade.
Colombo, January 15, 1949.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS

L. D—B 172/36.

No. 812/15 (PD).

THE REGISTERED STOCK AND SECURITIES ORDINANCE

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 4 of the Registered Stock and Securities Ordinance (Chapter 289), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Junius Richard Jayewardene, Minister of Finance, do by this Order direct that, of the sum of two hundred million rupees for the raising of which by way of loan authority has been given by the National Development Loan Ordinance, No. 32 of 1945, the sum specified in the Schedule hereto shall be raised in Ceylon in the mode and upon the terms and conditions specified in that Schedule.

Colombo, January 15, 1949.

J. R. JAYEWARDENE,
Minister of Finance.

Schedule

1. The sum of money to be raised shall be fifty million rupees, and it shall be raised by way of—

- (a) a 10–15 year loan, and
(b) a 20–25 year loan.

2. Each of the two loans shall be raised by the creation and issue of registered stock only:

Provided, however, that the holders of registered stock issued for the purpose of raising any of the two loans shall, on and after such date as may be appointed by the Minister of Finance by notification published in the *Gazette* not later than

six months after the conclusion of the war, have the option of exchanging such stock for securities in the form of Government promissory notes

3. The rate of interest payable shall—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, be 2½ per centum per annum, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, be 3 per centum per annum.

4. The dates in each year on which the half-yearly interest on each of the two loans shall be payable shall be the first day of March and the first day of September.

5. A half-yearly appropriation out of the Consolidated Fund of Ceylon as a contribution to the sinking fund to be established for the purpose of redeeming each of the two loans shall—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, be made at the rate of 5·8 per centum per annum, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, be made at the rate of 2·8 per centum per annum,

and such contributions shall commence on the first day of March, 1950.

6. The date of redemption of the registered stock issued for the purpose of raising each of the two loans and any Government promissory notes taken in exchange for such stock by the holders thereof shall—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, be the first day of March, 1964, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, be the first day of March, 1974 :

Provided, however, that the Government shall have the option of redeeming at par the registered stock issued for the purpose of raising each of the two loans and any Government promissory notes taken in exchange for such stock by the holders thereof—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, on such date subsequent to the first day of March, 1959, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, on such date subsequent to the first day of March, 1969,

as may be appointed by the Minister of Finance by notification published, not less than six months prior to that date, in the *Gazette* and in two Ceylon newspapers.

L. D.—B. 172/36.

THE REGISTERED STOCK AND SECURITIES ORDINANCE

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 34 of the Registered Stock and Securities Ordinance (Chapter 289), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Junius Richard Jayewardene, Minister of Finance, do hereby—

(1) declare the registered stock issued in Ceylon—

- (a) under the provisions of the Public Works Loan (1937) Ordinance (Chapter 285) for the purpose of raising the short term loan directed to be raised by Order dated October 29, 1940, and published in *Gazette* No. 8,678 of November 1, 1940, and
(b) under the provisions of the Home Defence Loan Ordinance, No. 2 of 1942, for the purpose of raising the seven year loan directed to be raised by Order dated December 15, 1942, and published in *Gazette* No. 9,053 of December 18, 1942,

to be convertible into registered stock to be issued under the provisions of this Ordinance ;

(2) for the purpose of the conversion of the registered stock referred to in paragraph (1), authorise the creation and issue under this Ordinance of registered stock (hereinafter referred to as "new stock") of the amount of 11½ million rupees, upon the terms and conditions specified in the Schedule hereto ; and

(3) declare in terms of paragraph (d) of section 34 of this Ordinance, that the interest payable on any new stock, or on any Government promissory notes taken in exchange for such stock, held by any Government referred to in paragraph (b) of section 11 of the Public Works Loan (1937) Ordinance (Chapter 285) shall be exempt from all taxes and duties leviable or payable under any written law in force in Ceylon, not withstanding anything in any such written law to the contrary.

J. R. JAYEWARDENE,
Minister of Finance.

Colombo, 15 January, 1949.

Schedule

1. The sum of money to be raised by the issue of the new stock shall be eleven and a half million rupees, and it shall be raised by way of—

- (a) a 10–15 year loan, and
(b) a 20–25 year loan.

2. The holders of the new stock shall, on and after such date as may be appointed by the Minister of Finance by notification published in the *Gazette* not later than six months after the conclusion of the war, have the option of exchanging such stock for securities in the form of Government promissory notes.

3. The rate of interest payable shall—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, be 2½ per centum per annum, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, be 3 per centum per annum.

4. The dates in each year on which the half-yearly interest on each of the two loans shall be payable shall be the first day of March and the first day of September.

5. A half-yearly appropriation out of the Consolidated Fund of Ceylon as a contribution to the sinking fund to be established for the purpose of redeeming each of the two loans shall—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, be made at the rate of 5·8 per centum per annum ; and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, be made at the rate of 2·8 per centum per annum ;

and such contributions shall commence on the first day of March, 1950.

6. The date of redemption of the new stock and any Government promissory notes taken in exchange for such stock by the holders thereof shall—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, be the first day of March, 1964, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, be the first day of March, 1974 :

Provided, however, that the Government shall have the option of redeeming at par the new stock and any Government promissory notes taken in exchange for such stock by the holders thereof—

- (a) in the case of the 10–15 year loan, on such date subsequent to the first day of March, 1959, and
(b) in the case of the 20–25 year loan, on such date subsequent to the first day of March, 1969,

as may be appointed by the Minister of Finance by notification published, not less than six months prior to that date, in the *Gazette* and in two Ceylon newspapers.

The List will be opened on February 4, 1949, and will be closed on February 28, 1950, or earlier if the loan is fully subscribed.

ISSUE OF Rs. 61,500,000

SRI LANKA GOVERNMENT LOAN

THIS LOAN WILL BE RAISED IN TWO ISSUES AT THE OPTION OF THE APPLICANT :—

- (a) 2½ per cent. Stock repayable at par at the General Treasury, Colombo, on March 1, 1964, but the Government will have the option of redemption at par on or after March 1, 1959, on giving six calendar months' notice.
(b) 3 per cent. Stock repayable at par at the General Treasury, Colombo, on March 1, 1974, but the Government will have the option of redemption at par on or after March 1, 1969, on giving six calendar months' notice.

The allocation between the two issues will not be fixed, but the total amount issued will not exceed Rs. 61,500,000.

Authority.—Rs. 50,000,000 of the loan is raised on the authority of the National Development Loan Ordinance, No. 32 of 1945, and the balance Rs. 11,500,000 in terms of Section 34 of the Registered Stock and Securities Ordinance, 1937 (Chapter 289). The issue will be made under the provisions of the Registered Stock and Securities Ordinance, 1937 (Chapter 289).

Purpose.—Rs. 50,000,000 of the loan will be used to finance the National Development Plans. The balance Rs. 11,500,000 will be utilized towards the repayment of the Ceylon Government 3 per cent. Home Defence Loan 1949, raised under the Home Defence Loan Ordinance, No. 2 of 1942, and the 3½ per cent. Loan 1949–51, raised under the Public Works Loan (1937) Ordinance (Chapter 285).

Form of Issue.—The loan will be issued in the form of registered stock only. Holders of registered stock will, however, have the option of exchanging registered stock for promissory notes on and after a certain date as may be appointed by the Minister of Finance by notification published in the *Gazette* not later than six months after the conclusion of the war. (Leaflets containing the general conditions applicable to Registered Stock are available on application to the Public Debt Office.)

Issue Price.—The issue price is Rs. 100 per cent. payable in full at the time of application. The minimum holding is Rs. 100.

Applications.—Applications will be received by the Registrar, Public Debt Office, General Treasury, Colombo, from February 4, 1949, and until the list is closed. Applications must be on the proper form and must be accompanied by a remittance in full or by a receipt for the remittance from a Kachcheri or Bank—for mode of payment, see under "Payment for Stock".

When payment is made into a Kachcheri or a Bank, the application form may be forwarded through such Kachcheri or Bank.

A commission of 1/16 per cent. will be allowed to bankers, recognized stock-brokers and brokers registered under the Coconut Products Ordinance in respect of applications bearing their stamp. A negotiating fee of the same percentage will be allowed to Proctors in respect of applications bearing their stamp.

Payment for Stock.—Payments may be made personally or by post in cash or by cheque at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri, or to the credit of Ceylon Government account in any of the following Banks in Colombo:—

Bank of Ceylon.
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.
Eastern Bank, Limited.
Grindlays Bank, Ltd.
Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.
Imperial Bank of India.
Mercantile Bank of India, Limited.
National Bank of India, Limited.

Scrp.—Stock Certificates will be issued immediately after receipt and acceptance of the application.

Interest.—Interest on the two issues at the appropriate rate will be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of March and the 1st day of September in each year. The first payment of interest will be the amount of interest due for the period between the date on which the stock is purchased and the next half-yearly interest payment date, and a warrant for this amount payable on the next half-yearly interest payment date will be attached to the scrip.

Taxation.—All documents used in the issue, exchange, transfer or redemption of the loan will be free from stamp duty. Interest to resident holders will be paid without deduction of income tax, but resident holders liable to income tax must include such interest in their income tax returns. Deduction of tax at source will be made from holidays by non-residents other than Empire Governments. (Current rate of income tax is 25 per cent. in the case of non-resident individuals and 31 per cent. in the case of non-resident companies.) Persons who are exempt from Ceylon income tax will be entitled to repayment of the tax deducted. Holdings of Charities and Governments of Empire countries are exempt from Ceylon income tax.

Security.—The loan is secured on the Consolidated Fund of the Ceylon Government. Two separate sinking funds will be formed for the redemption of the two issues of the loan under the management of the Deputy Secretary to the Treasury and the Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Commerce and Trade, who are the Trustees of the sinking funds. Half-yearly contributions at the rate of 5.8 per cent. per annum to the sinking fund of the 1959-64 issue and at the rate of 2.8 per cent. per annum to the sinking fund of the 1969-74 issue will be commenced on March 1, 1950.

These contributions may be increased and will only be discontinued if and when the Trustees are satisfied that no further contributions will be required to ensure the repayment of the loans on the due dates.

Public Debt.—The public debt of Ceylon on September 30, 1948 (excluding war loans raised on behalf of the United Kingdom Government for which no sinking fund is formed as repayment will be made by the United Kingdom Government), amounted to Rs. 492,983,233. The approximate market value of the accumulated sinking fund amounted to Rs. 90,312,855. The net public debt is thus Rs. 402,670,378.

Application Forms.—Application forms may be obtained at the Public Debt Office, General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri, or at any Post Office, or at any of the Banks mentioned above, or at the Office of the Commissioner, National Savings Movement.

Public Debt Office,
General Treasury,
Colombo, January 21, 1949.

T. D. PERERA,
Registrar.

FORM OF APPLICATION ISSUE OF SRI LANKA GOVERNMENT LOAN

Application No. _____
Date. _____, 19____.

To the Registrar,
Public Debt Office,
General Treasury, Colombo.

SIR,

I/WE hereby apply for Rs. _____ say _____ rupees of Sri Lanka Government 2½ per cent. Loan, 1959-64 Sri Lanka Government 3 per cent. Loan, 1969-74 according to the conditions contained in the Prospectus of January 21, 1949

Strike out what is not applicable

Strike out what is not applicable

I/We enclose remittance¹ or Kachcheri/Bank receipt for Rs. _____ being payment in full at par.

Strike out what is not applicable.

I/We request that stock of the nominal value of Rs. _____, be issued in the form of Stock Certificates of the denominations of Rs. _____ each.

Ordinary signature: _____

Name in full _____
(Block letters) (State whether Mr., Mrs., or Miss and title, if any.)

Full address²: _____

Ordinary signature: _____

Name in full _____
(Block letters) (State whether Mr, Mrs., or Miss and title, if any.)

The additional spaces should be filled in only when two or more persons apply as joint subscribers.

Full address²: _____

Ordinary signature: _____

Name in full _____
(Block letters) (State whether Mr, Mrs., or Miss and title, if any.)

Full address²: _____

¹ Applications must be for Rs. 100 stock or a multiple of Rs. 100.

² Cheques, Postal Orders, or Money Orders should be made payable to the Deputy Secretary to the Treasury and crossed " % payee".

³ Where the address given is c/o another person, bank, or firm, the place of residence or business of the applicant should also be given.

The application must be enclosed in an envelope marked outside "Sri Lanka Government Loan" and addressed to the Registrar.

SPECIAL ISSUE OF STAMPS—INDEPENDENCE COMMEMORATIVE ISSUE

IT is hereby notified for general information that a special issue of stamps of the denominations: 4 cents and 5 cents bearing the words "Independence Commemoration, 4th February, 1948" will be made on February 4, 1949.

The stamps will remain on sale for a limited period. The date of withdrawal of the stamps will be notified later.

During this period the sale of the 5 cents stamps in current use will be suspended.

The date of issue of the 15 cents and 25 cents Independence Commemorative Stamps will be notified in due course.

Ministry of Finance,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

J. R. JAYEWARDENE,
Minister of Finance.

L. D.—B. 175A/29.

No. PN. 1287.

THE SCHOOL TEACHERS PENSION ORDINANCE

RULE made by the Minister of Finance by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 4 (1) of the School Teachers Pension Ordinance (Chapter 298) 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, 8th January, 1949.

Rule

The School Teachers Pension Rules, published in *Gazette* No. 7,631 of February 24, 1928, are hereby amended in rule 11, in the Schedule to that rule, as follows:—

(i) by the numbering of the item inserted therein by rule published in *Gazette* No. 9,809 of December 12, 1947, as item (vii); and

(ii) by the insertion, immediately after item (vii), of the following new item:—

"(viii) Translators of text books in the Department of Education".

(D. S. 284)

No. 282/6/239 (ET/DB).

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Minutes on Pensions, it is hereby notified that the holder of the office specified below is entitled to pension:

Assistant Lands Officer, Ceylon Government Railway
(while held by Mr. N. S. L. Fernando).

C. E. JONES,

Secretary to the Treasury.

General Treasury,
Colombo, January 11, 1949.

L. D.—B. 132/29.

No. PN 1291.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE MUTUAL PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION
ORDINANCE

RULE made by the Public Service Mutual Provident Association under section 16 of the Public Service Mutual Provident Association Ordinance (Chapter 207) and confirmed by the Minister of Finance 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.

C. E. JONES,

Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Finance.

Colombo, 11 January, 1949.

Rule

The rules published in *Gazette* No. 5,147 of June 17, 1892, as amended from time to time by any subsequent rule, are hereby further amended as follows:—

- (1) under the heading "Chapter I—General Rules", in rule 7, by the substitution, for the words "next following," of the words "next following, if he is not indebted to the Association.;"
- (2) under the heading "Chapter II—Rules for the Investment of the Surplus Funds of the Public Service Mutual Provident Association in House Property Loans"—

(I) in rule 1—

- (a) in paragraph (1) of that rule, by the substitution for the words "landed property", of the words "landed property belonging to the member or his wife and"; and

(b) in paragraph (1) (A) of that rule—

- (i) by the omission of items (3) and (4) thereof; and
- (ii) by the insertion, immediately after item (2) thereof, of the following item:—

"(3) all Town Councils.;" and

(II) by the insertion, immediately after rule 10, of the following new rule 10A.—

"Repayment of Principal and Interest on death of a member.

10A (1). If any member dies before he has repaid in full the amount outstanding on any loan granted to him under the provisions of this Chapter, the Committee of Management may in its absolute discretion decide to permit the widow of such deceased member to repay the amount outstanding on such loan by instalments and subject to such other and further conditions as the Committee of Management may impose:

Provided, however, that when the decision to permit repayment by instalments is communicated to the widow she shall be informed that the Committee of Management has power, notwithstanding such decision, at any time to demand payment of the full amount outstanding on the loan after giving three months' notice.

(2) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (1) of this rule, the Committee of Management may demand at any time from the widow of any deceased member the immediate repayment in full of the amount outstanding on any loan which she has been permitted to repay by instalments"; and

- (3) under the heading "Chapter III—Provident Fund Rules", in rule 3, by the substitution in paragraph (1) for the words "equal to", of the words "equivalent to one and a half times".

L. D.—B. 7/36.

THE HOLIDAYS ORDINANCE

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 of the Holidays Ordinance (Chapter 135), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Edwin Aloysius Perera Wijeyaratne, Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development, do by this notice appoint Friday, February 4, 1949, being Independence Commemoration Day, to be a public and bank holiday, in addition to the days specified in the Schedules to the Ordinance.

E. A. P. WIJEWERATNE,

Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development.

Colombo, January 18, 1949.

L. D.—B. 164/37/P. C. C.—C 24.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION (GENERAL) No. 49/1

The Holidays Ordinance

REGULATION made by the Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance, under section 5 (1) of the Holidays Ordinance (Chapter 135), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

R. S. V. POULIER,

Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.

Colombo, 13th January, 1949.

Regulation

The regulations made under section 5 of the Holidays Ordinance (Chapter 135) relating to Customs Holidays and published in *Gazette* No. 8,365 of February 18, 1938, are hereby amended by the substitution, for the Schedule thereto, of the following new Schedule:—

1. New Year's Day.
2. Independence Commemoration Day.
3. Good Friday.
4. Easter Monday.
5. The Birthday of His Majesty the King.
6. Christmas Day."

NOTARIES FINAL EXAMINATION

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned candidates have passed the Notaries Final Examination with a view to practising in the Sinhalese language:—

1. S. Jayanaga
2. M. T. S. Sumathipala
3. J. G. A. Abayaratne
4. K. R. Silva

R. S. V. POULIER,

Permanent Secretary to

the Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.

Colombo, January 13, 1949.

THE LAND ACQUISITION ORDINANCE (CAP. 203)

Order No. 3 of 1949

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by proviso (ii) to section 12 (1) of the Land Acquisition Ordinance (Cap. 203) (as amended by section 2 of the Land Acquisition (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 51 of 1947, and adapted by the Order in the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in the *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947), I hereby direct the Assistant Government Agent mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto or any Officer of the Crown authorized by him in that behalf to take possession, for and on behalf of His Majesty, of the land described in the corresponding entry in column 2 of that Schedule.

Colombo, January 19, 1949.

DUDLEY SENANAYAKE,
Minister of Agriculture and Lands.

Column 1

Schedule

Column 2

The land shown as—

J. 451/LM. 4374—The Assistant Government Agent, Kegalla District . . . Lot No. 1 in Preliminary Plan No. A 570

J 10.

THE LAND ACQUISITION ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 203)

Order No. 4 of 1949

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 12 (1) of the Land Acquisition Ordinance (Chapter 203) (as amended by section 2 of the Ordinance No. 51 of 1947, and adapted by the Order in the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in the *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947), I hereby direct the Government Agent mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto or any officer of the Crown authorized by him in that behalf to take possession, for and on behalf of His Majesty, of the lands described in the corresponding entry in column 2 of that Schedule.

Colombo, January 19, 1949.

DUDLEY SENANAYAKE,
Minister of Agriculture and Lands.

Column 1

Schedule

Column 2

The land shown as—

J. 283/Q. 2920—The Government Agent, Western Province

. . . Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Preliminary Plan No. A 2326

Note.—The above Order supersedes the one published in the *Government Gazette* No. 9,911 of October 8, 1948, in so far as lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 only in Preliminary Plan No. A 2326 are concerned.

L. D.—B. 59/33.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 32 OF 1946

RULE under section 11 of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, made by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area under the Nachchaduwa Scheme irrigation work, at a meeting held on August 10, 1948, and approved by the Minister of Agriculture and Lands by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 14 of that Ordinance as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

A. G. RANASINHA,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Agriculture and Lands.

Colombo, January 5, 1949.

Rule

The rules made under the Irrigation Ordinance by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the Nachchaduwa and Anuradhapura City Tanks Irrigation District and published in *Gazette* No. 8,011 of October 6, 1933, are hereby amended in so far as they relate to the irrigable area under the Nachchaduwa Scheme irrigation work, by the insertion, immediately after paragraph (2) of Rule 19 thereof, of the following new paragraph:—

"19 (3) Subject to the provisions of section 26 and section 28 of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, the duration of office of the irrigation headmen elected or appointed for the irrigation divisions comprising the irrigable area under the Nachchaduwa irrigation work shall be three years."

No. G. 197.

THE MINES AND MACHINERY ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 163)

DELETE "Mellreen, J. C." appearing on page 15, line 24 of *Gazette* No. 9,936 of Friday, January 7, 1949, and substitute "McIlveen, J. C." therefor.

C. J. D. LANKTREE,
Permanent Secretary.Ministry of Labour and Social Services,
Colombo 1, January 18, 1949.AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS (REGULATION) ORDINANCE,
No. 29 OF 1939

THE Honourable the Minister of Commerce and Trade has been pleased, under section 2 of the Agricultural Products (Regulation) Ordinance, No. 29 of 1939, as modified by Proclamation under section 8 of the Ceylon Independence Order in Council, 1947, appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,823 of February 5, 1948, as read with section 10B of the Interpretation Ordinance (Chapter 2) as amended by the same Proclamation, to appoint Mr. B. L. W. Fernando, Deputy Commissioner for Development of Marketing, to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Commissioner for Agricultural Marketing under the Agricultural Products (Regulation) Ordinance No. 29 of 1939, in the absence of the Commissioner.

K. SOMASUNTERAM,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Commerce and Trade.

Colombo, January 19, 1949.

MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1938

IT is hereby notified that the Honourable the Minister for Transport and Works has been pleased, under section 4 of the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 45 of 1938, to appoint the following for the year ending December 31, 1949, to form a panel from which Tribunals of Appeal for the purposes of the Ordinance shall be constituted—

- (1) Sir Arunachalam Mahadeva
- (2) Mr. Donald Obeyesekera.
- (3) Mr. T. W. Roberts.
- (4) Mr. Waldo Sansoni.
- (5) Mr. J. Tyagarajah.
- (6) Mr. L. B. de Mel.
- (7) Mr. L. H. de Alwis.
- (8) Mr. S. J. C. Kadirgamar
- (9) Mr. C. C. Rasaratnam.
- (10) Mr. Stanley Alles.

J. N. ARUMUGAM,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Transport and Works.

Colombo, January 19, 1949.

MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1938

IT is hereby notified that the Honourable the Minister for Transport and Works has been pleased, under section 3 of the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 45 of 1938, to appoint Messrs. Cyril de Zoysa, H. Kenneth de Kretser, H. A. J. Hulugalle and the persons for the time being holding the following offices, viz. :—

The General Manager of the Railway,
The Commissioner of Labour,
The Deputy Inspector-General of Police (Administration),
The Municipal Commissioner of Colombo, and
The First Assistant Director of Public Works,

to be members of the Motor Traffic Advisory Board for the year ending December 31, 1949.

J. N. ARUMUGAM,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Transport and Works

Colombo, January 19, 1949.

L. D.—B. 54/33.

THE POST OFFICE ORDINANCE

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 43 of the Post Office Ordinance (Chapter 146), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Cathiravelu Sittampalam, Minister of Posts and Telecommunications, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance, do by this notification declare that gratuities at the rates set out in the Schedule hereto shall be allowed to masters of ships, not being mail ships, in respect of postal articles received by such masters for conveyance on behalf of the post office, in lieu of gratuities at the rates set out in the notification published in *Gazette* No. 7,983 of May 26, 1933.

C. SITTAMPALAM,
Minister of Posts and Telecommunications.

Colombo, January 8, 1949.

Schedule

Destination	Letter Mails for a unit of 16 bags (equivalent to 40 cubic feet)		Parcel Mails for a unit of 7 bags (equivalent to 40 cubic feet)	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
(a) United Kingdom ..	5	8 0	3	12 0
Tanger ..	6	5 3	4	3 6
Gibraltar ..	6	5 3	4	3 6
Marseilles ..	5	8 0	3	12 0
Malta ..	5	8 0	3	12 0
Port Said and Suez ..	5	8 0	3	12 0
Port Sudan ..	4	13 0	3	2 0
Aden ..	3	12 0	2	8 0
Penang ..	3	0 0	2	0 0
Singapore ..	3	12 0	2	8 0
Hong Kong ..	4	4 0	2	16 0
Shanghai ..	5	18 9	3	19 2
Japan ..	6	4 9	4	3 2
Australia ..	5	9 3	3	12 10
Saigon ..	4	16 0	3	4 0

The rate per bag will be 1/16 of the rate per unit in the case of letter mails and 1/7 of the rate per unit in the case of parcel mails.

(b) Maldivé Islands by buggalows :—

Letters and Post Cards	50 cents per lb.
Parcels	5 cents per lb.
Other articles	5 cents per lb.

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THE CEYLON (PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1946

Electoral District No. 21—Minipe.
Electoral District No. 22—Wattegama.
Electoral District No. 23—Kadugannawa.
Electoral District No. 24—Kandy.
Electoral District No. 25—Galaha.
Electoral District No. 26—Gampola.
Electoral District No. 31—Navalapitiya.
Electoral District No. 32—Maskeliya.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 22 (1) of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, that the registers of electors for the above electoral districts have been certified and that such registers are open for inspection during office hours at the Kandy Kachcheri.

N. E. ERNST,
Registering Officer,

Electoral Districts No. 21—Minipe, No. 22—Wattegama, No. 23—Kadugannawa, No. 24—Kandy, No. 25—Galaha, No. 26—Gampola, No. 31—Navalapitiya and No. 32—Maskeliya.

The Kachcheri,
Kandy, January 17, 1949.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (CONCILIATION) ORDINANCE, CHAPTER 110

THE report of the settlement sent to the Commissioner of Labour under section 6(2) of the above Ordinance by the Conciliation Board established under the above Ordinance and to which the dispute which has arisen between the Superintendent of Lavant Estate, Yatiyantota and the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union was referred in order that it may endeavour to effect a settlement, is hereby published in terms of section 7 of the above Ordinance.

2. The representatives of the parties namely Mr. J. A. T. Perera, Assistant Secretary, Ceylon Estates Employers' Federation for the Superintendent, Lavant estate, Yatiyantota and Mr. S. D. Punam, District Representative of the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union for the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union are required to state in writing in terms of section 7 of the above Ordinance, to the Commissioner of Labour, within 14 days after the date of publication of this notice, whether they accept or reject the settlement reported.

M. RAJANAYAGAM,
Colombo, January 11, 1949. Acting Commissioner of Labour.

The Report.

Department of Labour,
Colombo, December 23, 1948.

The Commissioner of Labour,
Colombo.

SIR,

I have the honour to refer to your letter No. W 105/454 of November 30, 1948, whereby you appointed me Chairman of a Board of Conciliation to enquire into and take steps to effect a settlement of the dispute which has arisen between the Superintendent of Lavant Estate, Yatiyantota, and the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union and to report in terms of section 6(2) of the Industrial Disputes (Conciliation) Ordinance (Cap. 110) that a settlement has been reached in the dispute in the manner set out hereunder.

2. The Board held one sitting on Thursday, December 23, 1948, at 10 A.M. at the Labour Department, Colombo. The purpose of this sitting was to endeavour to bring about a settlement of the dispute without proceeding to actual inquiry. The dispute related to the dismissal of three workers of Lavant Estate, Yatiyantota, viz. : Rasoo, Ponniah and Iyavoo for wilful disobedience to orders issued by the Superintendent to present themselves for an inquiry into a complaint made against them by the Conductor of the said estate. After a discussion of the circumstances relating to the case the parties concerned agreed to the settlement of the dispute and the following Memorandum of Agreement was drawn up :—

“ It is agreed between the parties as follows :—

(a) that on December 30, 1948, Iyavoo, Rasoo and Ponniah will apologise to the Superintendent for their failure to turn up for an inquiry when summoned.

(b) that upon such an apology being tendered the Superintendent will hold an inquiry into the incident of August 31, 1948. Mr. H. W. Starling will be present throughout the inquiry and will personally decide what punishment, if any, should be awarded in the event of the Superintendent holding that the charges against these three men have been proved. Mr. Starling's decision will be final.

(c) that Mr. S. D. Puniyam representing the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union will be present at the inquiry."

3. Under section 6(5) of the Ordinance I nominated Mr. J. A. T. Perera, Assistant Secretary, Ceylon Estates Employers' Federation to represent the Estate management and Mr. S. D. Puniyam, District Representative of the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union to represent that Union for the purposes of this Ordinance.

4. The Memorandum of Agreement was duly signed in my presence by these two gentlemen on behalf of the parties to the dispute.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. H. GREVE,
Chairman,
Conciliation Board.

1.—STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON ON JUNE 30 1948.

LIABILITIES.		Amount.	ASSETS.		Amount.
		Rs. e			Rs. o
Public Works Loan (Ordinance No. 5 of 1937)—			Cash and Bank balances in Ceylon and India	..	38,532,422 62
Unspent Balance		19,572,598 97	Bank of Ceylon—Share Capital at Cost	..	3,000,000 0
National Loan (Ordinance No. 35 of 1943)—Unspent			Crown Agents' Current Account:—	Rs. o.	
Balance		74,358,157 89	No. 1 A/c.—£598 1 2	7,974 11	
National Development Loan (Ordinance No. 32			" 2 " —£254 4.3	3,389 50	11,363 61
of 1945)—Unspent Balance		118,138,468 0	Joint Colonial Fund, Crown Agents.—	Rs. o.	
Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund		9,803,057 48	No. 1 A/c.—£1,541,000 0 0	20,546,666 67	
Ceylon University Building and Equipment Fund		523,768 31	" 2 " —£93,000 0 0	1,240,000 0	21,786,667 67
General Reserve Fund		10,000,000 0	Investments—Cash balances	..	102,189,641 60
National Development Reserve Fund		193,850,000 0	Investments—Ceylon University Building and		
War Risks (Goods) Insurance Fund		24,675 35	Equipment Fund		210,635 0
War Damages (Immovable Property) Insurance			Imprests and advances to Government depart-		
Fund		198,171 2	ments:—		
Civil Contingencies Fund		100,000 0	Ordinary	..	87,387,971 81
Unpaid Drafts		74,833 35	Special	..	346,372,062 29
Other Governments and Agencies		1,742,109 62			433,760,034 10
Loans to Local Bodies (Sinking Fund)		353,436 27	Less amount in deposit against		
Security Deposits		6,297,526 43	special advances	..	110,373,023 37
Suitors' Deposits		744,052 23			323,387,010 73
Other Deposits		53,331,799 70	Loans to Local Bodies (Sinking Fund Investments)		353,418 28
Electrical Department Account		258,602 50	Security Deposits in Banks		6,297,526 43
Consolidated Fund—Surplus:	Rs. o.		Loans to Local Bodies		200,000 0
Balance at end of 1946-47	56,909,234 53		Advances from Revenue for Loan Works		68,152,343 31
Surplus during period October 1,			Remittances in transit		5,015,044 98
1947, to June 30, 1948	99,613,124 82	156,522,359 35	Other Governments and Agencies		420,933 0
			Loans to Public Officers		4,048,414 59
			Loan to Agricultural and Industrial Credit		
			Corporation		7,702,000 0
			Loan to Local Loans and Development Fund		1,000,000 0
			Unissued Stores and Materials		26,532,917 77
			General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway		
			—Cash Advances		30,779,313 61
			Sundry Advances		5,310,072 90
			Suspense Account:—	Rs. o. Rs. o.	
			Ordinary		132,463 10
			Loss on sale and re-		
			demption of Invest-		
			ments as at Octo-		
			ber 1, 1947	206,901 95	
			Loss on annual valua-		
			tion of Investments		
			as at October 1, 1947	624,435 32	
					831,337 27
					963,807 37
					645,893,616 47

General Treasury,
Colombo, December 22, 1948.

H. E. PERIES,
Acting Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.

2.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948.

REVENUE.

	Estimated.		Actual.		Surplus.		Shortfall.	
	Rs.	e.	Rs.	e.	Rs.	e.	Rs.	e.
1. Customs ..	214,402,500	0	235,211,388	18	20,808,888	18	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues	9,081,500	0	7,274,745	33	—	—	1,756,754	67
3. Excise and Salt	27,558,258	75	34,737,415	20	7,179,156	45	—	—
4. Income Tax, Estate Duty, Stamps and Excess Profit Duty	69,157,500	0	68,044,157	01	—	—	1,113,342	99
5. Licences, Fees of Court, &c. and Medical Services	8,162,362	50	8,633,047	52	470,685	02	—	—
6. Postal and Telecommunication Services	10,320,000	0	11,741,272	14	1,421,272	14	—	—
7. Interest Annuities, &c.	4,033,125	0	2,358,952	53	—	—	1,674,172	47
8. Miscellaneous	14,730,183	75	10,178,597	19	—	—	4,551,586	56
9. Land Revenue and Sales	1,965,150	0	1,421,121	09	—	—	544,029	91
10. War Loan Interest	1,802,952	75	1,823,091	25	20,138	50	—	—
Total	361,163,532	75	381,427,786	44	29,900,140	29	9,639,886	60
					Deduct shortfall		9,639,886	60
					Net surplus		20,260,253	69

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Colombo, December 22, 1948.

H. E. PERIES,
Acting Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated.		Actual.		Under Expenditure.		Over Expenditure.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Defence ..	4,286,268	75	2,158,674	26	2,127,594	49	—	—
2. Legal ..	6,166,664	25	6,059,076	13	107,588	12	—	—
3. Public Debt ..	24,169,330	50	23,981,015	61	188,314	89	—	—
4. Pensions ..	21,588,008	0	17,996,335	48	3,589,672	52	—	—
5. Treasury and Revenue Heads ..	6,353,397	0	5,435,970	8	917,426	92	—	—
6. Provincial Administration ..	8,712,941	25	8,019,664	40	693,276	85	—	—
7. Excise Department ..	2,202,336	75	2,023,639	48	178,697	27	—	—
8. Police and Prisons ..	11,768,599	50	11,945,833	77	—	—	177,234	27
9. Survey Department ..	5,051,143	50	4,031,217	38	1,019,926	12	—	—
10. Land, Forest and Agriculture ..	24,389,161	50	17,323,357	18	7,065,804	32	—	—
11. Irrigation ..	9,884,144	25	6,627,796	69	3,256,347	56	—	—
12. Commissioner of Local Government ..	14,508,545	25	12,229,733	27	2,278,811	98	—	—
13. Health ..	36,545,114	25	33,984,657	11	2,560,457	14	—	—
14. Labour, Industry and Commerce ..	12,378,447	0	9,170,001	47	3,208,445	53	—	—
15. Education ..	64,994,162	25	61,002,562	88	3,991,599	37	—	—
16. Colombo Port Commission and other Ports ..	9,207,926	25	8,400,062	60	807,863	65	—	—
17. Post Office and Telegraphs ..	16,562,176	50	16,168,042	66	394,133	84	—	—
18. Public Works ..	27,484,614	0	19,119,586	3	8,365,027	97	—	—
19. Various Emergency Services ..	4,449,083	25	2,830,047	13	1,619,036	12	—	—
20. Other Heads ..	19,852,305	0	12,963,329	79	6,888,975	21	—	—
Total ..	330,552,369	0	281,470,603	40	49,268,999	87	177,234	27
	Deduct over expenditure ..				177,234		27	
	Net under expenditure ..				49,081,765		60	

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Colombo, December 22, 1948.

H. E. PERIES,
Acting Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.

3.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1947 AND JUNE 30, 1948.

REVENUE.

	Nine months ended June 30, 1947.		Nine months ended June 30, 1948.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs ..	154,911,859	17	235,211,388	18	80,299,529	1	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse and other Dues ..	6,577,391	19	7,274,745	33	697,354	14	—	—
3. Excise and Salt ..	30,415,195	85	34,737,415	20	4,322,219	35	—	—
4. Income Tax Estate Duty, Stamps and Excess Profit Duty ..	76,534,089	92	68,044,157	1	—	—	8,489,932	91
5. Licences, Fees of Court &c., and Medical Services ..	6,828,140	99	8,633,047	52	1,804,906	53	—	—
6. Postal and Telecommunication Services ..	12,353,632	47	11,741,272	14	—	—	612,360	33
7. Interest, Annuities, &c. ..	4,983,797	28	2,358,952	53	—	—	2,624,844	75
8. Miscellaneous ..	9,256,125	89	10,178,597	19	922,471	30	—	—
9. Land Revenue and Sales ..	1,503,180	42	1,421,120	9	—	—	82,060	33
10. War Loan Interest ..	1,906,152	25	1,823,091	25	—	—	83,061	0
Total ..	305,269,565	43	381,423,786	44	88,046,480	33	11,892,259	32
	Deduct decrease ..				11,892,259		32	
	Net increase ..				76,154,221		1	

EXPENDITURE.

	Nine months ended June 30, 1947.		Nine months ended June 30, 1948.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Defence ..	4,026,279	50	2,158,674	26	—	—	1,867,605	24
2. Legal ..	5,893,074	96	6,059,076	13	366,001	17	—	—
3. Public Debt ..	22,161,657	77	23,981,015	61	1,819,357	84	—	—
4. Pensions ..	15,775,340	98	17,996,335	48	2,220,994	50	—	—
5. Treasury and Revenue Heads ..	3,657,987	98	5,435,970	8	1,777,982	10	—	—
6. Provincial Administration ..	4,510,345	94	8,019,664	40	3,509,318	46	—	—
7. Excise Department ..	1,418,115	37	2,023,639	48	605,524	11	—	—
8. Police and Prisons ..	7,562,314	42	11,945,833	77	4,383,519	35	—	—
9. Survey Department ..	2,830,314	85	4,031,217	38	1,200,902	53	—	—
10. Land, Forest and Agriculture ..	12,978,441	96	17,323,357	18	4,344,915	22	—	—
11. Irrigation ..	3,966,893	92	6,627,796	69	2,660,902	77	—	—
12. Commissioner of Local Government ..	9,163,236	61	12,229,733	27	3,066,496	66	—	—
13. Health ..	20,153,487	32	33,984,657	11	13,831,169	79	—	—
14. Labour, Industry and Commerce ..	4,842,487	0	9,170,001	47	4,327,514	47	—	—
15. Education ..	44,064,472	4	61,002,562	88	16,938,090	84	—	—
16. Colombo Port Commission and other Ports ..	5,922,807	76	8,400,062	60	2,477,254	84	—	—
17. Post Office and Telegraphs ..	16,562,555	21	16,168,042	66	5,462,487	45	—	—
18. Public Works ..	13,750,247	85	19,119,586	3	5,369,338	18	—	—
19. Various Emergency Services ..	2,409,494	67	2,830,047	13	420,552	46	—	—
20. Other Heads ..	56,731,169	78	12,963,329	79	—	—	43,767,839	99
Total ..	252,323,725	89	281,470,603	40	74,782,322	74	45,635,445	23
	Deduct decrease ..				45,635,445		23	
	Net increase ..				29,146,877		51	

General Treasury,
Colombo, December 22, 1948.

H. E. PERIES,
Acting Deputy Secretary to the Treasury.

ACCOUNTS OF THE GENERAL MANAGER, RAILWAYS, FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948.
CEYLON GOVERNMENT RAILWAY.

1—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE ON CAPITAL ACCOUNT TO JUNE 30, 1948

RECEIPTS.	Total Net Receipts up to June 30, 1948.
	Rs. c.
Total Government Loan repaid	174,532,943 23
Amount repaid up to September 30, 1947	Rs. e. 173,820,591 31
Add Amount repayable for the nine months ended June 30, 1948	1,326,786 0
Less Value of Assets scrapped, &c., from Repaid Capital	175,147,377 31 614,434 8
Transfer from Railway Betterments Fund	1,061,227 68
Government Loan for Capital Expenditure outstanding at June 30, 1948 (vide Statement No. 2A)	52,345,788 66
	227,939,959 57

EXPENDITURE	Amount expended up to Sept 30, 1947.		Amount expended Oct 1, 1947, to June 30, 1948.		Total expended up to June 30, 1948.		Less Value of Assets, scrapped, transferred, &c., from		Total Net Expenditure up to June 30, 1948.		
							Repaid Capital.		Outstanding Loan Capital.		
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Lines opened for traffic	162,491,930	10	1,747,866	98	164,239,797	8	614,434	8	—	163,625,363	0
Lines under construction or survey ..	17,684	34	—	—	17,684	34	—	—	—	17,684	34
Rolling Stock	50,255,665	14	3,982,926	25	54,238,491	39	—	—	—	54,238,491	39
Manufacturing and repairing works and plant—											
Land and buildings	5,790,736	28	—	—	5,790,736	28	—	—	—	5,790,736	28
Plant and machinery	1,729,298	97	534,373	92	2,263,672	89	—	—	—	2,263,672	89
Road Motor Vehicles	1,887,457	6	116,554	61	2,004,011	67	—	—	—	2,004,011	67
	222,172,671	89	6,381,721	76	228,554,393	65	614,434	8	—	227,939,959	57

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M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

2—STATEMENT OF LOAN LIABILITIES AT JUNE 30, 1948

	Total Loan repayable at Oct. 1, 1947.		Loan taken to June 30, 1948.		Total Loan repayable at June 30, 1948.		Less		Balance Loan repayable at June 30, 1948.		
							Annuities payable (instalment of Loan).		Amount realized by sale of Assets.		
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Land, Buildings and Bridges	36,007,169	93	274,078	55	36,281,248	48	463,898	0	—	35,817,550	48
Locomotives, Carriages and Wagons	5,021,746	77	1,970,150	90	6,991,897	67	283,386	0	—	6,708,511	67
Other Rolling Stock, Plant and Machinery, &c.	3,820,018	38	2,008,162	35	5,828,180	73	422,853	75	—	5,405,326	98
Miscellaneous	2,441,917	82	2,129,329	96	4,571,247	78	156,848	25	—	4,414,399	53
	47,290,852	90	6,381,721	76	53,672,574	66	1,326,786	0	—	52,345,788	66
B.—Renewals											
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Land, Buildings and Bridges	611,381	93	185,044	2	796,425	95	1,619	25	—	794,806	70
Locomotives, Carriages and Wagons ..	4,750,341	2	674,886	12	5,425,227	14	79,104	75	—	5,346,122	39
Other Rolling Stock, Plant and Machinery, &c.	2,066,652	56	340,517	98	3,307,170	54	66,130	50	—	3,241,040	4
Miscellaneous	930,377	45	450,839	31	1,381,216	76	61,107	0	—	1,320,109	76
	9,258,752	96	1,651,287	43	10,910,040	39	207,961	50	—	10,702,078	89
Total ..	1,534,747	50			1,534,747	50				63,047,867	55

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Acting General Manager

3—REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948.

Dr.	To EXPENDITURE	Amount.	By Revenue.	Amount.
		Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Maintenance of Way and Works		7,793,336 34	Coaching:—	
Maintenance of Engines and Rolling Stock		6,106,005 42	Passengers	17,548,682 74
Transportation Expenses		27,620,862 30	Parcels	19,987,322 39
General Charges		4,797,358 62		16,215,321 6
Miscellaneous Services		907,326 19	Goods and Live Stock
				36,202,643 45
			Total Traffic Receipts	
			Miscellaneous Receipts	1,415,179 64
			Total Revenue	37,617,823 9
			Balance transferred to Net Revenue Account	2,607,065 78
		47,224,888 87		47,224,888 87

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M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

4.—NET REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Dr.	Amount. Rs. c.	Cr. Amount. Rs. c.	
To Balance transferred from Revenue and Expenditure Account ..	9,607,065 78	By Deficit ..	12,779,909 88
„ Annuities Payable:—	3,067,319 25		
	Rs. c.		
Instalment of loan ..	1,534,747 50		
Interest ..	1,532,571 75		
„ Interest payable on loans advanced for Capital and Renewal Works at 3½ per cent. per annum ..	105,524 85		
	12,779,909 88		12,779,909 88

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Acting General Manager

5.—DEFERRED MAINTENANCE RESERVE ACCOUNT

Dr.	Amount. Rs. c.	Cr. Amount. Rs. c.	
To Expenditure ..	659,588 51	By Balance brought forward at October 1, 1947 ..	25,368,133 26
„ Balance carried forward ..	24,708,544 75		
	25,368,133 26		25,368,133 26

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Acting General Manager.

6.—GENERAL BALANCE SHEET AS AT JUNE 30, 1948

LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.
Security Deposits ..	379,086 40	Cash at Bankers ..	318,991 82
Sundry creditors ..	1,324,065 16	Cash in transit ..	325,374 87
Sundry items in suspense ..	2,435 84		
Deputy Financial Secretary's Account (Current)	30,756,333 23	Stock of stores and materials ..	644,366 69
Deferred Maintenance Reserve Account	24,708,544 75	Outstanding traffic accounts ..	10,599,327 34
Annuities payable to the Revenue of the Island on Loans:—	3,067,319 25	Security deposits in Banks ..	3,813 985 66
	Rs. c.	Sundry Debtors ..	379,086 40
Instalment of loan ..	1,534,747 50	Deferred Maintenance Reserve Investments	1,649,039 51
Interest ..	1,532,571 75		15,979,612 35
Interest payable to the Revenue of the Island on loans advanced for Capital and Renewal Works at 3½ per annum ..	105,524 85	Ceylon Govt. 3½% loan 1949-51 ..	2,110,264 6
	60,343,309 48	do. 2½% War loan 1948 ..	—
		do. 2½% National Development Loan 1967-72 ..	1,080,790 79
		do. 3% Home Defence Loan 1950 ..	788,557 50
		do. 2½% Victory Loan 1955-60 ..	5,000,000 0
		do. 3% Victory Loan 1965-70 ..	5,000,000 0
		do. 2½% National Development Loan 1955-60 ..	2,000,000 0
		Excess of Liabilities over Assets ..	27,277,891 53
		Loss on working on 30-9-47 ..	14,497,981 65
		do. 30-6-48 ..	9,607,065 78
		Annuities and Interest payable for the 9 months ended 30-6-48 ..	3,172,844 10
			60,343,309 48

Note:—Annuities and Interest on Advances totalling Rs. 3,665,088 47 due to the end of September, 1947, are not included in this statement.

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M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

7.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948 (ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL.)

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue		Actual Revenue		Surplus.		Shortfall.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Cooching ..	20,625,000	0	19,987,322	39	—	—	637,677	61
Goods and Live Stock ..	18,750,000	0	16,215,321	6	—	—	2,534,678	94
Miscellaneous ..	1,875,000	0	1,415,179	64	—	—	459,820	36
	41,250,000	0	37,617,823	9	—	—	3,632,176	91

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Acting General Manager.

8.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948.
(ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL.)

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure.		Actual Expenditure.		Over-Expenditure.		Under-Expenditure	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Maintenance of Way and Works ..	11,613,402	75	7,793,336	34	—	—	3,820,066	41
Maintenance of Engines and Rolling Stock ..	7,237,031	50	6,106,005	42	—	—	1,131,034	8
Transportation Expenses ..	26,501,880	75	27,620,862	30	1,118,981	55	—	—
General Charges ..	4,716,597	75	4,797,358	62	80,760	87	—	—
Miscellaneous Services ..	1,296,592	50	907,326	19	—	—	389,266	31
	<u>51,365,513</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>47,224,888</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>1,199,742</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>5,340,366</u>	<u>80</u>
					Deduct over-expenditure		1,199,742	42
					Net under-expenditure		4,140,624	38

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9.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1947,
AND JUNE 30, 1948.

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Revenue for the nine months ended June 30, 1947.		Revenue for the nine months ended June 30, 1948.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Coaching ..	21,064,982	20	19,987,322	39	—	—	1,077,659	81
Goods and Live Stock ..	14,906,519	87	16,215,321	6	1,308,801	19	—	—
Miscellaneous ..	1,362,168	71	1,415,179	64	53,020	93	—	—
	<u>37,333,669</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>37,617,823</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1,361,822</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1,077,659</u>	<u>81</u>
					Deduct Decrease		1,077,659	81
					Net Increase		284,162	31

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Acting General Manager.

10.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1947,
AND JUNE 30, 1948.

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Expenditure for the nine months ended June 30, 1947.		Expenditure for the nine months ended June 30, 1948.		Increase		Decrease	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Maintenance of Way and Works ..	4,675,269	88	7,793,336	34	3,118,066	46	—	—
Maintenance of Engines and Rolling Stock ..	3,349,573	18	6,106,005	42	2,756,432	24	—	—
Transportation Expenses ..	21,818,284	97	27,620,862	30	5,802,577	33	—	—
General Charges ..	14,195,035	53	4,797,358	62	—	—	9,397,676	91
Miscellaneous Services ..	263,503	94	907,326	19	643,822	25	—	—
	<u>44,301,667</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>47,224,888</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>12,320,898</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>9,397,676</u>	<u>91</u>
					Deduct Decrease		9,397,676	91
					Net Increase		2,923,221	37

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M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT ELECTRICAL UNDERTAKINGS.

I.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE ON CAPITAL ACCOUNT TO JUNE 30, 1948.

	Amount expended to September 30, 1947		Amount expended October 1, 1947 to June 30, 1948		Total		Amount received to September 30, 1947.		Amount received October 1, 1947, to June 30, 1948.		Cr. Total
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
To Hydro-Electric Scheme, Watawala Electric Supply	17,619	599	30	2,681	822	18	20,301	421	48		
Stage I.		0,264	82		39	57		9,304	30		
Stage II.	142	784	97				142	784	97		
Extensions at Watawala	11,075	549	42	1,035,820	50		12,111,369	92			
Cooribo Electric Supply		477	248	23				47,248	23		
Nuwara Eliya Electricity Supply	268	808	32	21,235	81		290	042	13		
Diyatalawa Electricity Supply		11,223	21					11,223	21		
Workshop											
	29,604	456	27	3,738,918	06		33,343,374	33			
By Loan Account—											
Amount due to Ceylon Government on loans for the Hydro-Electric Scheme, Watawala	17,628,864	12		2,681,861	75		20,310,725	87			
Amount due to Ceylon Government on loans for extensions at Watawala	142,764	97					142,764	97			
Balance due to Ceylon Government on other loans	8,248	248	23	1,057,056	81		9,805,304	54			
Repayment of loans from Net Revenue from October 1, 1935	3,250	276	60				3,250,276	60			
Contributions from Reserve, Extensions and Renewals Fund	334,302	85					334,302	85			
	29,604,456	27		3,738,918	06		33,343,374	33			

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Colombo, December 20, 1948.

A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

2.—REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948

Dr.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs.		Cr.
		Rs.	c.	
	Salaries, &c.	*905,450	61	
	Travelling Expenses	*51,387	45	
	Management and General Charges	†702,300	34	
	Colombo Generation	†2,080,157	99	
	Transmission	†77,963	20	
	Colombo Electricity Supply	†201,037	68	
	Outstation Electricity Supply	†69,332	35	
	Supervision of Lighting Schemes	†97	81	
	Direct cost of maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works	†5,687	03	
	Total ordinary working expenditure	4,093,414	46	
	Balance carried to Net Revenue Account	1,093,149	88	
		5,186,564	34	
	By Colombo :—			
	Sale of current in Colombo	3,918	074	63
	Sale of current to Urban Councils	265,323	80	
	Sale of current in suburban areas	321,929	76	
	Meter rentals, &c.	51,530	72	4,558,858
	Nuwara Eliya :—			
	Sale of current	146,485	83	
	Meter rentals, &c.	2,442	26	148,928
	Diyatalawa :—			
	Sale of current	85	951	31
	Meter rentals, &c.	2,686	32	88,637
	Hydro-Electric Scheme, Watawala :—			
	Sale of current in bulk	10,058	58	
	Sale of current in retail	2,444	15	
	Miscellaneous receipts			12,502
	Fees for supervision of construction and inspection of Local Lighting Schemes			58,001
	Reimbursement of cost of establishment for maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works for Government Departments			219,055
	Miscellaneous receipts			100,580
				5,186,564

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A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

* In respect of all the sections of the Department.

† Excludes Salaries, &c., and Travelling expenses which are shown separately in respect of the whole Department.

3.—NET REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948

Dr.	Rs.	c.	Cr.
To Deficit brought forward from last financial year	104,837	37	
Interest	15,976	23	
Reserve for annuities to Ceylon Government in repayment of loans	591,337	52	
Net profit for the nine months			
October, 1947, to June, 1948	485,836	13	
Less last year's deficit	104,837	37	
	380,998	76	
	1,093,149	88	
By Balance from Revenue Account (No. 2)			1,093,149
			88

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A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

4.—RESERVE, EXTENSIONS AND RENEWALS FUND

Dr.	Rs.	c.	Cr.
To Expenditure on extensions and renewals	26,974	66	
Balance carried forward	3,660,655	46	
	3,687,630	12	
By Balance from last financial year			3,687,630
			12

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A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

5.—GENERAL BALANCE SHEET ON JUNE 30, 1948.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
	Rs.		Rs.
Capital Account—Amount received as per statement No. 1, viz —		Capital Account—Amount expended as per statement No. 1	33,343,374 33
Loans repaid ..	3,250,276 60	Stock at cost ..	1,128 146 66
Loans outstanding ..	29,758,795 38	Debtors for current supplied ..	2,006,031 88
Contributions from Reserve, Extensions and Renewals Fund..	334,302 35	Sundry debtors ..	91 606 89
Sundry creditors ..	437,885 54	Loans for transport and passages ..	78 069 88
Unclaimed balances..	6,972 52	Advances for wages and travelling ..	38,106 24
Staff Provident Fund ..	12,489 83	Ceylon Government—Cost of establishment for maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works for Government Departments ..	219 055 15
Consumers' deposits ..	624,548 66	Deputy Secretary to Treasury, Current Account ..	581,081 20
Security deposits ..	66,225 57	Investments in Ceylon Government Loans (Market value on 30.9.47, less investments since sold) ..	1,298,562 50
Investment Adjustments Account ..	61,562 50	Ceylon Savings Bank ..	553 91
Deputy Secretary to Treasury—Interest due ..	10,877 87	Cash at Bank on current account ..	406 770 23
Reserve for annuities to Ceylon Government in repayment of loans ..	591,337 52	Cash in hand ..	4,669 69
Reserve, Extensions and Renewals Fund ..	3,660,655 46		
Net Revenue Account ..	380,998 76		
	<u>39,196,928 56</u>		<u>39,196,928 56</u>

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A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

6.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948.

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Estimated		Actual		Surplus.		Shortfall.	
	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.
Sale of current, &c., Colombo ..	4,141,875	0	4,558,858	91	416,983	91	—	—
Sale of current, &c., Nuwara Ehya ..	152,250	0	143,928	09	—	—	3,321	91
Sale of current, &c., Diyatalawa ..	92,250	0	88,637	63	—	—	3,612	37
Sale of current, &c. Hydro-Electric Scheme, Watawala ..	24,993	75	12,502	73	—	—	12,491	02
Fees for supervision of construction and inspection of Local Lighting Schemes ..	75,000	0	58,001	70	—	—	16,998	30
Reimbursement of cost of establishment for maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works for Government Departments ..	225,000	0	219,055	15	—	—	5,944	85
Miscellaneous Receipts ..	75,000	0	100,580	13	25,580	13	—	—
	<u>786,368</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>5,186,564</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>442,564</u>	<u>04</u>	<u>42,368</u>	<u>45</u>
			Less shortfall ..		42,368	45		
			Net surplus ..		400,195	59		

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Colombo, December 20, 1948.

A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

7.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL EXPENDITURE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948.

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE	Estimated.		Actual		Over-expenditure.		Under expenditure.	
	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.
Salaries, &c. ..	1,020,252	75	905,450	61	—	—	114,802	14
Travelling Expenses ..	66,8	4 0	51,387	45	—	—	15,506	55
Management and General Charges ..	732,138	75	702,300	34	—	—	29,838	41
Colombo Generation ..	1,584,131	25	2,080,157	99	496,026	74	—	—
Transmission ..	139,821	75	77,963	20	—	—	61,858	55
Colombo Electricity Supply ..	358,421	25	201,037	68	—	—	157,383	57
Outstation Electricity Supply ..	150,590	25	69,332	35	—	—	81,257	90
Supervision of Lighting Schemes ..	5,355	0	97	81	—	—	5,257	19
Direct cost of maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works for Government Departments ..	19,455	0	5,687	03	—	—	13,767	97
	<u>4,077,060</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,093,414</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>496,026</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>479,672</u>	<u>28</u>
Interest ..	45,000	0	15,976	23	—	—	29,023	77
Annuities to Ceylon Government in repayment of Loans ..	607,500	0	591,337	52	—	—	16,162	48
	<u>4,729,560</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,700,728</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>496,026</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>524,858</u>	<u>53</u>
			Deduct over-expenditure ..		496,026	74		
			Net under-expenditure ..		28,831	79		

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Colombo, December 20, 1948.

A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager

8.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1947, AND 1948.

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Revenue, October, 1946, to June, 1947.		Revenue, October, 1947, to June, 1948.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	¢.	Rs.	¢.	Rs.	¢.	Rs.	¢.
Sale of current, &c., Colombo	3,595,572	77	4,558,858	91	963,286	14	—	—
Sale of current, &c., Nuwara Eliya	117,259	69	148,928	09	31,668	40	—	—
Sale of current, &c., Diyatalawa	78,465	83	88,637	63	10,171	80	—	—
Sale of current, &c., Hydro-Electric Scheme, Watawala	26,563	38	12,502	73	—	—	14,060	65
Fees for supervision of construction and inspection of Local Lighting Schemes	31,299	50	58,001	70	26,702	20	—	—
Reimbursement of cost of establishment for maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works for Government Departments	203,845	95	219,055	15	15,209	20	—	—
Miscellaneous Receipts	71,316	83	100,580	13	29,263	30	—	—
	4,124,323	95	5,186,564	34	1,076,301	4	—	14,060 65
					Less decrease		14,060 65	
					Net increase		1,062,240 39	

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Colombo, December 20, 1948.

A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager.

9.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1947, AND 1948.

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Expenditure, October, 1946, to June, 1947.		Expenditure, October, 1947, to June, 1948.		Increase		Decrease.	
	Rs.	¢.	Rs.	¢.	Rs.	¢.	Rs.	¢.
Salaries, &c.	851,608	98	905,450	61	53,841	63	—	—
Travelling Expenses	44,964	38	51,387	45	6,423	7	—	—
Management and General Charges	668,488	35	702,300	34	33,811	99	—	—
Colombo Generation	1,395,549	95	2,080,157	99	684,608	04	—	—
Transmission	98,645	99	77,963	20	—	—	20,682	79
Colombo Electricity Supply	208,555	79	201,037	68	—	—	7,518	11
Outstation Electricity Supply	59,806	19	69,332	35	9,526	16	—	—
Supervision of Lighting Schemes	122	89	97	81	—	—	—	25 08
Direct cost of Maintenance of Electrical Installations and New Works for Government Departments	3,240	04	5,687	03	2,446	99	—	—
	3,330,982	56	4,093,414	46	790,657	88	—	28,225 98
Interest	4,178	35	15,976	23	11,797	88	—	—
Annuities to Ceylon Government in repayment of Loans	583,017	76	591,337	52	8,319	76	—	—
	3,918,178	67	4,700,728	21	810,775	52	—	28,225 98
					Less Decrease		28,225 98	
					Net increase		782,549 54	

Department of Government Electrical Undertakings,
Colombo, December 20, 1948.

A. V. FRUGTNEIT,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager.

Abstract of Returns of Indian Labourers on Estates in the several Districts of Ceylon during the Half-year ended June 30, 1948

District.	Number of Estates.*	Number of Indian Labourers.†				Number of Registered Events ‡	
		Total	Men.	Women.	Children.	Births.	Deaths.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
CEYLON	1,589	738,129	215,558	212,084	310,487	15,969	5,376
<i>Western Provinces.</i>							
Colombo	43	5,067	1,556	1,434	2,077	119	47
Kalutara	94	31,384	9,257	9,305	12,822	729	228
<i>Central Provinces.</i>							
Kandy	440	213,845	61,910	62,196	89,739	4,692	1,535
Matale	119	34,827	10,752	10,227	13,848	856	295
Nuwara Eliya	203	159,058	45,053	45,812	68,193	3,978	1,454
<i>Southern Provinces.</i>							
Galle	40	7,615	2,540	2,052	3,023	198	75
Matare	38	8,630	2,825	2,485	3,320	183	72
<i>North-Western Provinces.</i>							
Kurunegala	46	4,988	1,622	1,362	2,004	99	26
Chilaw §	8	230	93	69	68	10	2
<i>Province of Uva.</i>							
Badulla	241	140,592	39,587	39,608	61,397	2,611	883
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>							
Ratnapura	129	78,484	23,630	22,093	32,761	1,395	461
Kegalla	188	53,409	16,733	15,441	21,235	1,209	300

* The figures in this column represent the number of returns received and tabulated.

† The figures are those of the reported population on the last working day of the half-year.

‡ In respect of a slightly smaller population than that shown in columns 3-6, as events which occurred on estates not scheduled under the Medical Wants Ordinance are not shown in these columns.

§ Chilaw District is not treated as an estate district for the purpose of registration of births and deaths.

|| These numbers were reported in the half-yearly returns, and are not included in the total. See the preceding note.

Colombo, January 18, 1949.

T. B. JAYAH,
Minister of Labour and Social Services.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, Kandy, will receive separate tenders up to 2 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for the maintenance of and minor improvements to Government buildings in Dumbulla District for the years 1949-50 for Groups A, B, and C respectively.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Dumbulla, Talawakelle, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, 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., Dumbulla, Talawakelle, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 for each group 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 agreement and schedule of rates issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, C. D., P. W. D., Kandy, will receive separate tenders up to 2 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for maintenance and minor improvements to Government buildings in Matale and Norwood Districts from February, 1949, to December, 1950.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineers concerned from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works on production to the Executive Engineers concerned of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 for each district 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, agreement and schedule of rates issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, J. SAVERIMUTTU,
Colombo, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, P. W. D., Kandy, will receive tenders up to 2 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for the transport of stores in Matale District during 1949.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Matale, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for transport of stores on production to the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Matale, 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, January 17, 1949. 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, February 16, 1949, for the construction of two Quarters, Type 7, Series A, at the Training School for Youthful Offenders, Wathupitiwala.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Colombo North, Torrington Square, Colombo, 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, February 4, 1949, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works,

on production to the Executive Engineer, Colombo North, Torrington Square, Colombo, 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, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, University Architect's Office, University Scheme, Peradeniya, will receive tenders up to 2 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for the maintenance and minor improvements to Government buildings in the University Site, Peradeniya, from February to December, 1949.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, 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., 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 Resident Engineer, U. S., along with the tender deposit receipt.

5. No tender deposit receipt will be returned until the specification and form of 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, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, S. D., P. W. D., Galle, will receive separate tenders for each group up to 2 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for maintenance of and minor improvements to Government buildings in Galle—groups A and B; Matara—groups A and B; Hambantota—groups A and B, and Pelmadulla District from February, 1949, to December, 1950.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineers concerned from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works, on production to the Executive Engineer concerned of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 50 for each group in respect of Galle District, Rs. 25 for each group in respect of Matara and Hambantota Districts, and Rs. 50 in respect of Pelmadulla District at the P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo, in respect of each district.

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, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, C. D., P. W. D., Kandy, will receive separate tenders up to 2. 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for maintenance and minor improvements to Government buildings in Kandy District for—

Group "A" 1949 to 1950 respectively.
Group "B," 1949 to 1950 respectively,
Group "C" 1949 to 1950 respectively.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Kandy, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, 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., Kandy, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 for each group 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, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, C. D. P. W. D., Kandy, will receive separate tenders up to 2 30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for maintenance and minor improvements to Government buildings in Nuwara Eliya District from February, 1949, to December, 1950, for the following areas —

- A.—Town area including Hakgala, Ramboda, Nanuoya and Kandapola.
- B.—Uda-Pussellawa area including Maturata, Padiya-pellala and Nildandahinne.
- C.—Ambavela area including Mahagastota Vegetable Farm.
- D.—Lindula area including Agarapātna and Bopatalawa.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Nuwara Eliya, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for building works on production to the Executive Engineer, Nuwara Eliya, of a receipt for deposit of Rs. 25 for each area 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, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

Department of Industries

QUOTATIONS are invited for the supply, f.o.r. Colombo, of 25 ceiling fans with underlights suitable for 230 volt, 50 cycle, A.C. supply. The fans should be of the 3 bladed type with a sweep of 56" and should be complete with standard lengths of down rods, couplings, and 10 step speed regulators.

Quotations should be for immediate delivery and suppliers should give full particulars of the fans offered.

Quotations should be sent under sealed cover, marked "Quotations for Ceiling Fans", and should reach the Director of Industries not later than 12 noon on Monday, January 24, 1949.

Planning Division, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Department of Industries, Acting Director of Industries,
Secretariat Premises,
Colombo, January 11, 1949.

Department of Industries

Tenders for Glass Melting Pots

TENDERS will be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Industries, Industrial Research and Fisheries, P. O. Box 570, Galle Face, Colombo 3, for the supply and delivery of 100 Glass Melting Pots (Crucibles) of Japanese Origin to the Government Glass Factory, Nattandiya.

Tenders which should be on prescribed forms close at 12 noon on Saturday, February 26, 1949.

Forms of tender can be obtained upon application at the Office of the General Manager of Factories, Department of Industries, Factories Division, Galle Face, Colombo 3, up to 12 noon on Wednesday, February 23, 1949.

A deposit of Rs. 100 is required before any form of tender is issued.

Further particulars should be obtained from the office of the General Manager of Factories.

Galle Face, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Colombo 3, January 11, 1949. Acting Director of Industries.

Department of Industries

TENDERS for the supply of brass hinges, brass locks, brass cup, drawer pulls, brass and iron screws, varnish, spirits of wine, black board paint, and stain powder, will be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Industries, Industrial Research and Fisheries, Fisheries Institute, Galle Face, Colombo, up to 12 noon on January 29, 1949.

A deposit of Rs. 50 should be made before a tender form is issued. Further particulars and tender forms may be obtained from the Assistant Accountant, Department of Industries, 65, Havelock Road, Colombo 5.

W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Colombo, January 11, 1949. Acting Director of Industries.

Department of Industries

Tenders for the Supply and Delivery of Paddy Grass to the Government Glass Factory, Nattandiya

TENDERS are hereby invited by the Director of Industries (Factories Division), Department of Industries, P. O. Box 580, Galle Face, Colombo 3, for the supply and delivery of about 60 tons of paddy grass to the Government Glass Factory, Nattandiya, during the six months commencing approximately February 10, 1949.

2. Tenders should be on the prescribed form which will be issued by the General Manager of Factories, Galle Face, Colombo 3. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made at the office of the Director of Industries Secretariat Premises, Colombo, before any form of tender is issued.

3. Tenders close at 12 noon on Tuesday, February 1, 1949.

4. Further particulars should be obtained from the office of the General Manager of Factories, Galle Face, P. O. Box 580, Colombo 3.

5. Tender forms will be issued up to 12 noon on Monday, January 31, 1949.

Factories Division, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Galle Face, Acting Director of Industries,
P. O. Box 580,
Colombo, January 13, 1949.

Department of Industries

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Industries, Industrial Research and Fisheries, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Saturday, February 12, 1949, for the supply, construction and erection of overhead water tank, pumping set, piping and well at the Government Cement Factory, Kankasanturai.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Industrial Engineer, Block E, Secretariat Premises, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued on payment of a deposit of Rs. 100 up to 12 noon on Friday, February 11, 1949.

Planning Division, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Department of Industries, Acting Director of Industries,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

Department of Industries

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Industries, Industrial Research and Fisheries, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Saturday, February 12, 1949, for the construction of a building for the Pottery Centre, Anuradhapura.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Industrial Engineer, Block E, Secretariat Premises, from whom all the particulars on the subject can be obtained.

Tender forms will be issued on a payment of a deposit of Rs. 100 up to 12 noon, Friday, February 11, 1949.

Planning Division, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Department of Industries, Acting Director of Industries,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

Supply of Rayon Yarn

THE Chairman of the Tender Board, Ministry of Industries, Industrial Research and Fisheries, Galle Face, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on February 12, 1949, for the supply of 1,480 lb. of Rayon yarn to the Department of Industries, Colombo.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Department of Industries, 2nd Floor, Gaffoor Building, Fort, Colombo 1, from where all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Acting Director of Industries.

Department of Industries

Tenders for the Supply and Delivery of Steel Billets to the Government Steel Rolling Factory, Maradana

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Industries, Industrial Research and Fisheries, Galle Face, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Saturday, February 26, 1949, for the supply of approximately 1,500 tons of steel billets conforming to the latest British standard specifications for mild steel. The specifications required are as follows:—

2½" × 2½" length 3 ft. and over, not exceeding 20 ft.—
Tensile. Strength 28 to 32 tons per sq. in.

2. Further particulars and tender forms are obtainable from the General Manager of Factories, Department of Industries, Factories Division, Galle Face Annexe, Colpetty, P. O. Box 580, Colombo, up to 12 noon on Friday, February 25, 1949. A deposit of rupees five hundred (Rs. 500) should be made at the Accounts Division, Department of Industries, Secretariat Premises, Colombo, and a receipt produced before the Tender form is issued.

Department of Industries, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,
Factories Division, Acting Director of Industries
Galle Face Annexe, Colpetty,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

Education Department

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Education, Secretariat Building, Colombo 1, will receive tenders up to 2.30 p.m. on Monday, January 31, 1949, for the following works:—

- (1) Mt/Nikula Bibile S. M. School Construction of school building
- (2) G/Ettitigoda S. M. School Construction of school building
- (3) Bd/Illukpeles-sa S. M. School Construction of school building, well and three latrines
- (4) K/Buwelikada S. M. School Construction of school building
- (5) Mr/Kotuwegoda T. M. School Construction of school building, "A" type teachers' quarters and two latrines
- (6) K/Bowlana S. M. School Construction of school building, "A" type teachers' quarters and three latrines
- (7) K/Galaha Junior School "A" Block. Construction of school building
- (8) K/Galaha Junior School "B" Block. Construction of "A" type teachers' quarters
- (9) R/Dolaswalakanda S. M. School Construction of school building, "A" type teachers' quarters and three latrines
- (10) K/Idamegama School Practical "A" Block. Construction of school building
- (11) K/Idamegama School Practical "B" Block. Construction of school building
- (12) K/Idamegama School Practical "C" Block. Construction of "A" type teachers' quarters and levelling site for playground
- (13) C/Daranegama School Government Construction of school building
- (14) Ku/Illukhena S. M. School Construction of school building
- (15) Ku/Meddepola S. M. School Construction of school building
- (16) Ku/Ballala Government Boys' School Construction of school building
- (17) P/Ilavankulam T. M. School Construction of school building and "A" type teachers' quarters
- (18) R/Kamarangapitiya S. M. School "A" Block. Construction of school building, well and three latrines
- (19) R/Kamarangapitiya S. M. School "B" Block. Construction of school building and "A" type teachers' quarters
- (20) K/Aludeniya S. M. School Construction of school building
- (21) K/Rambukpotha S. M. School Construction of school building, "A" type teachers' quarters, well and two latrines

- (22) K/Weliwita S. M. School Construction of school building and "A" type teachers' quarters
- (23) K/Maratugoda Junior School "A" Block. Construction of two school buildings
- (24) K/Maratugoda Junior School "B" Block. Construction of two school buildings
- (25) K/Maratugoda Junior School "C" Block. Construction of teachers' quarters and two latrines
- (26) Mn/Kakayankulam T. M. School Construction of school building

Abbreviations

C = Colombo District	Ku = Kurunegala District
G = Galle District	Mr = Matara District
K = Kandy District	Mt = Matale District
R = Ratnapura District	Mn = Mannar District
P = Puttalam District	Bd = Badulla District

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Education Officer of the Province in which the school is situated. All particulars can be obtained from him.

3. A deposit of Rs. 50 should be made at a Kachcheri or at the Education Office, W. A. A. F. Camp, Lower Lake Road, Colombo 1, 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.

4. Tenderers who are unable to accept more than one work at a time should state so on their tenders

5. Application for tender forms should reach the Education Officers concerned before 12 noon, Tuesday, January 25, 1949.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Acting Director of Education

Education Office,
Colombo 1, January 11, 1949.

Education Department

THE Education Officer, N.-W. P., Education Office, Kurunegala, will receive tenders up to 2.30 p.m. on February 11, 1949, for the under-mentioned work:—

Construction of temporary teacher's quarters at Ku/Moratthe Government S. M. S.

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

3. 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 and postal orders will not be accepted.

4. Tender forms will not be issued after 2.30 p.m. on February 9, 1949

Education Office, S. P. SATGUNAN,
Kurunegala, January 18, 1949. Education Officer, N.-W. P.

Education Department

TENDERS will be received by the Education Officer, Western Province, Thurstan Road, Bambalapitiya, up to 12 noon on Monday, January 31, 1949, for the under-mentioned works:—

Ng/Thammitta S. M. S.—Repairs to roof.
C/Gehenuwala S. G. S.—Latrines.
Kl/Tissa Vidyalaya C. S.—Repairs.
Kl/Kekuleliya S. M. S.—Repairs.
C/Green Street C. S.—Repairs.

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

3. 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.

4. Application for tender forms should reach the Education Officer, W. P., before 12 noon on Friday, January 21, 1949.

W. P. Education Office, S. W. SAHABANDU,
Thurstan Road, Education Officer, W. P.
Bambalapitiya, January 11, 1949.

Education Department

TENDERS will be received by the Education Officer, Province of Uva, Badulla, up to 12 noon on Saturday, February 19, 1949, for the under-mentioned works:—

- Bd/Palugama Government Sinhalese School—Construction of two latrines.
Bd/Gomagoda Government Sinhalese School—Construction of two latrines.

2 Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Education Officer, Province of Uva, Badulla. A deposit of Rs 5 should be made for each work at a Kachcheri or at the Education Office, Calle Face, Colombo, and a receipt forwarded before any tender form is issued. The issue of tender forms is not restricted to registered contractors of the Education Department. Money orders, postal orders, cheques, &c, will not be accepted for the issue of tender forms.

3. Application for tender forms should be made to the Education Officer, Province of Uva, Badulla, before 12 noon on Tuesday, February 15, 1949

Education Office,
Badulla, January 19, 1949

D A WIJAYASINGHA,
Education Officer

Education Department

THE Education Officer, C. P., Hotel Suisse, Kandy, will receive tenders up to 12 noon, Tuesday, February 8, 1949 for the following works:—

- (1) N/Padiyapelella S B S.—Repairs to school.
- (2) N/Tillicoultry S. & T. School—Cementing school floor
- (3) N/Talawakelle Junior School—Repairs to school quarters and two bucket type latrines.
- (4) N/Poramadulla C. S.—Repairs to water service.
- (5) N/Illagolla School—Repairs to school building
- (6) K/Yatawara S. M. S.—Extension
- (7) K/Hodson Girls' School—Reinstate water service.
- (8) K/Atabage S. M. S.—Water supply
- (9) K/Ketakumbura T. M. S.—Erecting posts to support roof.
- (10) K/Padupola Government School—Constructing surface water drains round school.
- (11) K/Dunukeulla S. M. S.—Corrugated iron roofing to school and quarters.
- (12) Mt/Matale Senior Girls' School—Repairs.

2. Tenders should be made on forms available on application from the Education Officer, C. P., Hotel Suisse, Kandy. All particulars on the subject can be obtained from him.

3. A deposit of Rs 5 for each work should be made at the Education Office, Calle Face, Colombo, or at a Kachcheri, 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.

4. Applications for tender forms should reach the Education Officer, C. P., before 12 noon on February 1, 1949.

Education Office,
Kandy, January 18, 1949

A. WEERASINGHA,
Education Officer, C. P.

Food Department*Sale of Tinned Butter (Australian)*

TENDERS are hereby invited on the prescribed form for the purchase of the following:—

- 388 cases and 8 tins tinned butter (Australian) each case containing 100 tins of 12 oz.
71 cases and 65 tins tinned butter (Australian) each case containing 72 tins of 12 oz.

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

The Chairman, Tender Board,
Ministry of Food and 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 and Co-operative Undertakings or be sent through the post under registered cover.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Tinned Butter" on the left hand top corner of the envelope and should reach the Chairman, Tender Board, not later than 12 noon on Tuesday, February 1, 1949.

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.

D. G. L. MISSE,
Acting Director of Food Supplies.

Department of Food Supplies,
Colombo 2, January 11, 1949

Department of Food Supplies*Tender for Labour Services at Manning Market*

WITH reference to the notice in the *Government Gazette* of January 7, 1949, calling for tenders for supply of labour services (loading and unloading, &c) at Manning Market, for the period February 16, 1949, to August 15, 1949, it is hereby notified that the closing date for receiving tenders has been extended to 12 noon on Friday, January 28, 1949.

Deposit of Rs 100 (rupees one hundred only) must be made with the Director of Food Supplies (Distribution) on or before Wednesday, January 26, 1949, and a receipt produced for the same before a tender form can be issued

P. O Box 543, D. G. L. MISSE,
330, Union Place, Acting Director of Food Supplies
Colombo, January 17, 1949.

Co-operative Wholesale Establishment*Tenders for the Purchase of Coconut Poonac for Export*

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, 330, Union Place, Colombo 2, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 1, 1949, for the purchase of approximately 1,000 tons of coconut poonac available for export to any destination.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Commissioner for Co-operative Development, 11, Rosmead Place, Colombo 7, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

A deposit of Rs. 250 should be made before any tender form is issued.

EDMUND J. COORAY,
Commissioner for Co-operative Development.

Colombo 7, January 17, 1949

Irrigation Department

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 8, 1949, for the supply of the following:—

Item	Description.	Quantity
1	24" dia. reinforced cement concrete pipes	1,064 feet
2	Collars for above pipes	94 Nos.

2. Delivery shall be made ex-stores in Colombo and the quantity tendered for should be supplied before March 15, 1949.

3. Tenderers may tender for the full quantity or part thereof.

4. Tenders are to be made on forms obtainable from the Director of Irrigation (Stores Branch), Secretariat, Colombo, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

5. Tender forms will be issued up to 12 noon on Thursday, February 3, 1949, on production of a receipt for a deposit of Rs 10 per tender which should be made either at the office of the Director of Irrigation or a Kachcheri.

W. T. I. ALAGARAJNAM,
Colombo, January 18, 1949 for Director of Irrigation.

Irrigation Department

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 15, 1949, for the construction of the following buildings attached to the hospital in Gal-o-ya Reservoir Scheme:—

Corridors
Operating Theatre
Attendants' Room
Infectious Diseases Ward
Mortuary

2. Tenders must be for the entire lot of buildings ; otherwise they will not be considered.

3. Tenders are to be made on forms obtainable from the Director of Irrigation, Secretariat, Colombo, at whose office all particulars are available and plans and specifications can be seen.

4. Tender forms will be issued up to 12 noon, on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, on production of a receipt for a deposit of Rs. 100 which should be made either at the office of the Director of Irrigation or a Kachcheri.

5. Only contractors who are registered with the P. W. D. or Irrigation Department for works costing Rs. 50,000 and over are eligible to tender. Those who have contracts already in hand should obtain certificates of satisfactory progress from the respective Superintending Engineers or Divisional Irrigation Engineers and submit same on application for tender form.

W. T. I. ALAGARATNAM,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. for Director of Irrigation.

Irrigation Department

Tender Notice for Construction of a Sewerage System for Gal-oya Reservoir Construction Village

WITH reference to the above tender notice dated January 4, 1949, it is hereby notified that the date for closing of tenders is extended up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 8, 1949, and that the last date for issue of tender forms is extended to 12 noon on Thursday, February 3, 1949.

W. T. I. ALAGARATNAM,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. for Director of Irrigation.

Ceylon Government Railway

THE Chairman, Way and Works Head Office Tender Board, will receive, at the Chief Engineer's Office, C. G. R., McCallum Road, Maradana, tenders up to 2.30 p.m., on Friday, February 11, 1949, for the construction of one set of workmen's dwellings at Galboda.

2. Tenders must be sent under registered cover, duly sealed, on forms obtainable from the Chief Engineer, Way and Works, C. G. R., McCallum Road, Maradana, from whom conditions of tender and all particulars can be obtained and to whom all communications should be addressed.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 p.m., on Friday, February 4, 1949.

4. Tenders should be firm and subject to no variation for fluctuation in prices.

5. Intending tenderers should pay a tender deposit of Rs. 25 and the price of tender documents Rs. 10 to the Chief Accountant, C. G. R., Colombo, and produce receipts to the Chief Engineer, Way and Works, C. G. R., for issue of the necessary tender forms. The tender deposit will be refunded on return of the plans, specifications, &c., and after a contract has been entered into with the successful tenderer. The price of tender documents will not be refunded.

6. The Tender Board reserves to itself the right to reject any or all the tenders.

P. O. Box 370, W. A. SHAW,
Colombo January 4, 1949. Chief Engineer, C. G. R.

Ceylon Government Railway

THE Chairman, Way and Works Head Office Tender Board, will receive at the Chief Engineer's Office, C. G. R., McCallum Road, Maradana, tenders up to 2.30 p.m. on Friday, February 11, 1949, for laying sewage connections to Railway buildings at Dematagoda.

2. Tenders must be sent under registered cover, duly sealed, on forms obtainable from the Chief Engineer, Way and Works, C. G. R., McCallum Road, Maradana, from whom conditions of tender and all particulars can be obtained and to whom all communications should be addressed.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 1949.

4. Tenders should be firm and subject to no variation for fluctuation in prices.

5. Intending tenderers should pay a tender deposit of Rs. 50 and the price of tender documents Rs. 10 to the Chief Accountant, C. G. R., Colombo, and produce receipts to the Chief Engineer, Way and Works, C. G. R., for issue of the necessary tender forms. The tender deposits will be refunded on return of the plans, specifications, &c., and after a contract has been entered into with the successful tenderer. The price of tender documents will not be refunded.

6. The Tender Board reserves to itself the right to reject any or all the tenders.

P. O. Box 370, W. A. SHAW,
Colombo, January 11, 1949. Chief Engineer, C. G. R.

Department of Government Electrical Undertakings

Tenders for Tree Cutting

TENDERS will be received by the Acting Chief Engineer and Manager, Department of Government Electrical Undertakings, up to 2.30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9, 1949, for felling, stumping, purchasing and removing from site all trees marked "E" and "X" in tar, of various species including coconut, rubber, jak, arcanut, &c., and other unclassified trees and scrub, growing within a track approximately 80 ft. wide along the surveyed route of the proposed Hydro Electric Scheme 66 K.V. Transmission Line, in each of the following sections —

(a) Section IV—From Nakkawita Suspension Bridge in Udabage Village Headman's Division No. Sab/111 to the end of Maliboda Estate Forest which terminates at the Western entrance of the Crown Reserve known as Peak Wilderness. This section covers the Village Headman's Divisions No. Sab/112 Maliboda and No. Sab/113 Magala, but excludes all Crown Reservations and other Crown Forests situated within these divisions.

(b) Section V—From the eastern end of the Crown Reserve known as Peak Wilderness through the Hangarapitiya Village Headman's Division No. CP/313 as far as the New Power House Site, but excluding the Crown Forest known as Renuellagava Mukalana.

Separate tenders should be submitted for each section and should be for the collective work in each section, and not for items.

Intending tenderers are advised to go over the entire track of each section and acquaint themselves with the nature of the land, the number and sizes of trees, road and transport conditions, &c., before submitting their tenders, as later complaints will not be entertained.

Further particulars and forms of tender may be obtained from the Office of the Senior Transmission Engineer, Hydro Electric Scheme, Department of Government Electrical Undertakings, McCallum Road, Colombo, during working hours on payment of a deposit of Rs. 50 (Rupees Fifty) for each section, which will be refunded on receipt of a bonafide tender.

The Acting Chief Engineer and Manager does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. V. FRIGNET,
Acting Chief Engineer and Manager, Department
of Government Electrical Undertakings.
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

THE Commandant, Ceylon Defence Force, P. O. Box 553, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 15, 1949, for washing the under-mentioned articles at Diyatalawa and Colombo, for the period March 1, 1949, to September 30, 1949 —

Blankets, G. S.	Dusters
Blankets, servants	Nets, mosquito
Cases, mattress	Shirts, C. C., or bush
Cases, pillow	Shorts, K. D., prs.
Sheets, linen, single	Trousers, K. D., prs.
Towels, hand/bath	Overalls, combination
Pyjama suits	Vests, cotton
Aprons, cook	Socks, worsted
Caps, cook	Coverlets, Hospital

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the undersigned, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m. on February 14, 1949.

Tender forms will be issued only to contractors who show evidence of satisfactory financial status and experience.

A cash deposit of Rs. 50 should be made in respect of each tender at any Kachcheri and the deposit receipt produced before any tender forms can be issued. If the successful tenderer declines to sign the agreement, the deposit will be forfeited.

The successful tenderer should furnish security deposit of Rs. 2,500 in respect of each service before signing the agreement.

R. J. F. MENDIS,
Bt-Colonel,
January 19, 1949. A/Commandant, C. D. F.

THE Commandant, Ceylon Defence Force, P. O. Box 553, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Friday, February 11, 1949, from establishments in Colombo for the supply of 1,500 pairs of canvas rubber shoes of the following sizes:—

Size	Pairs	Size	Pairs
5	600	8	100
6	400	9	50
7	348	10	2

Delivery should be made ex Stores, Colombo, and the quantity tendered should be supplied before April 1, 1949.

Tenders should be made on the forms obtainable from the undersigned from whom further particulars can be obtained. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m. on February 9, 1949.

Tender forms will be issued only to contractors who show evidence of satisfactory financial status and experience.

A cash deposit of Rs. 25 should be made in respect of each tender at the General Treasury or any Kachcheri and the receipt produced before any tender forms can be issued. If the successful tenderer declines to sign the agreement, the deposit will be forfeited.

R. J. F. MENDIS,
Bt.-Colonel,

Colombo, January 19, 1949. A/Commandant, C. D. F.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Health and Local Government, will receive fresh tenders not later than 12 noon, Tuesday, February 1, 1949, for the services noted in the schedule hereunder for the period ending on September 30, 1949.

2. Tenderers should obtain tender forms from the office of the undersigned not later than 12 noon, Monday, January 31, 1949.

3. For conditions regarding the issue of tenders for these services, please see my tender notices dated February 23, 1948, and April 8, 1948, appearing in *Ceylon Government Gazette* Nos 9,838 and 9,853 of March 5, 1948, and April 16, 1948, respectively.

W. G. WICKREMASINGHE,

Acting Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

Colombo, January 8, 1949.

Schedule referred to—

Service	Tender Security	
	Deposit	Deposit
	Rs.	Rs.
Supply of cooked provisions including milk to—		
Kamburupitiya Rural Hospital ..	200	300
Weliwewa Rural Hospital ..	200	300
Supply of Fresh Cow's Milk to Puttalam Hospital ..	150	200
Laundrying of the soiled linen of De Soysa Maternity Hospital, Colombo (excluding linen washed by the Prisons Laundry and Departmental laundrymen within the Hospital premises) ..	50	100

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Health and Local Government, Secretariat, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 15, 1949, for the construction of the following building—

Maternity Home at Mirussa (S. P.) completion of the balance works.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Sanitary Engineer, Torrington Square, Colombo, from whom particulars on the subject may be obtained. Tenderers are advised to inspect and obtain all necessary information regarding items of work to be done, site conditions, &c. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m., on Friday, February 11, 1949, only to those who produce written proof of previous building experience and are in sound financial position to carry out contracts of this magnitude.

A cash deposit of Rs. 250 in respect of each tender should be made to the credit of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services at the Bank of Ceylon, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo and the receipt produced before any tender form can be issued. If the successful tenderer fails to sign agreement the tender deposit will be forfeited.

The successful tenderer should furnish a security deposit of Rs. 1,000 before signing the agreement.

Torrington Square,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

E. B. ANKETELL,
Sanitary Engineer.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Health and Local Government, Secretariat, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 15, 1949, for the construction of the following buildings—

- (1) Rural Hospital at Pothupitiya (Sab.) completion of the balance works.
- (2) Rural Hospital at Chempianpattu (N. P.) completion of the balance works.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Sanitary Engineer, Torrington Square, Colombo, from whom particulars on the subject may be obtained. Tenderers are advised to inspect and obtain all necessary information regarding items of work to be done, site conditions, &c. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 p.m., on Friday, February 11, 1949, only to those who produce written proof of previous building experience and are in sound financial position to carry out contracts of this magnitude.

A cash deposit of Rs. 250 in respect of each tender should be made to the credit of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services at the Bank of Ceylon, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo and the receipt produced before any tender forms can be issued. If the successful tenderers fail to sign agreements the tender deposits will be forfeited.

The successful tenderers should furnish security deposits of Rs. 1,000 in respect of each work before signing agreement.

Torrington Square,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

E. B. ANKETELL,
Sanitary Engineer.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Ministry of Food and Co-operative Undertakings, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, March 1, 1949, on behalf of the Deputy Food Controller, Puttalam, for the following services for a period of 7 months commencing from March 1, 1949:—

1. Transport, &c., from Railway Station, Chilaw, to Supply Station, Chilaw.
2. Transport, &c., from Railway Station, Nattandiya, to Supply Station, Nattandiya.
3. Transport, &c., from Railway Station, Lunuwila, to Supply Station, Lunuwila.
4. Unloading from lorries and stacking at the—
 - (a) Battuluoya Goods Shed.
 - (b) Pulchchakulama Stores and
 - (c) Puttalam Stores.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on or before February 26, 1949, from Deputy Food Controller, Puttalam, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

A tender deposit of Rs. 25 should be deposited in any Kachcheri or Treasury by the tenderer. The tender forms will be issued only on production of the Kachcheri or Treasury receipt thereof.

The Kachcheri,
Puttalam, January 10, 1949.

P. MURUGASU,
for D. F. C., Puttalam.

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, February 15, 1949, for the supply from April 1, 1949, to September 30, 1949, of—

- (i) Vegetables, &c., to the Agricultural Corps Camps at Senapura, Bakamuna, Paragahakelle (Galoya Scheme), Ridiyagama and Base Camp;
- (ii) Dry fish to the Agricultural Corps Camp at Paragahakelle (Galoya Scheme); and
- (iii) Sea fish to the Agricultural Corps Camps at Bakamuna, Paragahakelle (Galoya Scheme), and Ridiyagama.

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

- (1) Senapura—Ipalogama—delivery at Kekirawa.
- (2) Bakamuna—Naula—delivery at Naula.
- (3) Paragahakelle—Galoya—delivery at Kalmunai
- (4) Ridiyagama—Ambalantota—delivery at Ambalantota.
- (5) Base Camp—Colombo—delivery at Camp.

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 addressed to the Commissioner, Agricultural Corps, and not personally to the undersigned, when a tender form will be issued. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish security in a sum not exceeding Rs. 500 in respect of each tender.

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

5. Tender forms will be issued only up to February 12, 1949.

6. Further particulars can be had from this office or from the Officers-in-Charge of the above camps.

T. N. MUNASINGHE,
Commissioner, Agricultural Corps.

Agricultural Corps Headquarters,
120, Alston Place,
P. O. Box 529,
Slave Island,
Colombo 2, January 10, 1949.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Pareekanni Travancore Rubber Company, Limited

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Pareekanni Travancore Rubber Company, Limited, held at the Registered Office of the Company, on January 14, 1949, the following resolution was duly passed as a special resolution—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. Reginald Nelson Watkins and Mr. Cyril Elphinstone Begbie, both of Colombo, be appointed liquidators to act jointly and severally for the purpose of such winding up."

Chartered Bank Buildings,
Queen Street, Fort,
Colombo 1, January 14, 1949. Chairman of the meeting.

C. A. MEAKIN,

The Lady Havelock Gardens Company, Limited

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifty-Third Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 14, Queen Street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 1, 1949, at 11 a.m.

Business

1. To read the Auditors' Report
2. To receive the Report of the Directors and Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1948.
3. To declare a Dividend.
4. To elect Directors
5. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
6. To transact any other business of which due notice may have been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 25, to February 1, 1949, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, January 21, 1949 Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale

UNDER commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 2,153/M.B., I shall sell by public auction the following property belonging to Defendant James de Silva Rupesinghe of Santhnee, Beratuduwa in Balapitiya, on Monday, February 14, 1949, at the spot at 4 p.m.—

All those three allotments of land marked lots 1, 2 and 3 in the Plan forming one property and called Diggoda Kele situated at Kosgoda Village in Bentota Walallawiti Korale of the District of Galle, Southern Province, in extent (A.74 R.3 P. 20)

Full particulars from S. Somasunderam, Esq., Proctor, S. C., Colombo

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

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree

UNDER and by virtue of a commission to sell, issued to me in case No. 2,163 M/B, D. C., Colombo, to recover from the defendants H. Salman Singho and S. A. E. Perera of Santiyago Street, Colombo, the amount entered of record, I shall sell by public auction at the spot, on February 21, 1949, at 5.15 p.m. the following:—

All that portion of land called Masangahawatta with the buildings thereon and the buildings hereinafter to be erected thereon bearing assessment No. 2520/27 situated at Santiyago Road in Kotahena, presently bearing assessment Nos. 115/170-174 and 177-184, Santiyago Street, in extent sixteen perches (A. 0 R. 0 P. 16).

For title deeds please apply to Fred G. de Silva, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

239, Hulftsdorp. D. A. SAMARASINGHE,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale

UNDER D. C., Colombo, Partition Case No. 5083/P. Of a valuable and well situated property and premises at Wekande Road, Slave Island. These premises are midway between Geo. Stuart & Co.'s Wekande Mills and Lauriston Stores and the one next to Ramasamy Reddiar's premises and bear Nos. 63/16-22, 26-29 and 65 Wekande Road. A distance of a stone's throw from the Slave Island Municipal market and bus stand.

Under the commission to sell issued to me in this case, I shall, in conformity with the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863, sell by public auction at the spot at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, March 11, 1949, the above premises in extent R.1 P.0 85 according to the plan filed of record in the case.

6, Ferry Street, CHAS. H. PIERES, F.A.L.P.A.,
Hulftsdorp, Phone 5419. Auctioneer, &c

Auction Sale

UNDER Partition Decree in D. C., Kalutara, Case No. 25,397, I shall sell by auction the following property in two blocks as in plan No. 5,017 dated November 11, 1948, made by T. F. Collette, Surveyor, on March 5, 1949, commencing at 10 a.m.—

All that soil and trees and all the buildings of the land called Deenagodawatta, situated at Deenagoda in Beruwal Badda of Kalutara Totamune, Kalutara District, Western Province, comprising of lots 1 and 2, in extent A. 0 R. 1 P. 20½

January 18, 1949. D. H. ABAYASEKARA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

A Valuable Tea and Rubber Estate called Wewaltalawa Estate situate at Ambagamuwuwa Village, Ambagamuwuwa Korale, Uda Bulatagama, Kandy District

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C., Kandy (Partition) Case No. P.1457, I shall sell by public auction at the spot (Superintendent's Bungalow) on Saturday, March 19, 1949, at 2.30 p.m. that valuable estate called Wewaltalawa Estate in extent according to plan No. 434/44 filed of record in the said case 1,127 acres 2 roods and 15 perches of which

- 334A 3R. 0P. are planted with Tea.
- 188A 3R. 25P. are planted with Rubber.
- 3A 3R. 18P. Paddy.
- 344A 6R. 5P. Scrub jungle and Mana.
- 256A 3R. 9P. Forest

The said property will be put up for sale first among the co-owners thereof, and if not bidden for and purchased by any one of them, then the same will be immediately thereafter put up for sale among the general public.

For further particulars please apply to Alfred Fernando, Esq., Proctor, S.C. & J.P., Kandy, or to me—

651, Peradeniya Road, Kandy. J. ABDUL WAHAB,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Balapitiya, Case No. MB 82

Gustinna Liyana Podisingho of Vilegoda in Ambalangoda Plaintiff.
Vs.

Handunnetti Robert de Silva of Balapitiya Defendant.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs 1,344, with interest and costs, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, February 19, 1949, at the spot at 4 p.m.—

All that undivided one half (½) share of the soil, of the cinnamon plantation and of all the plantations and buildings standing thereon of the contiguous lands called Galkandahena, Delgahawatta, Kadurugahawatta, Udumullawatta, Talgahawatta and Ambagahawatta, situated at Deenawala in Karandeniya in the Wellaboda pattu of Galle District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by Kohlawagurewatta belonging to Tudor Rajapaksa Mudiyanse Ralahamy, east by cinnamon and rubber land belonging to Ruwanpura Errols Silva, land belonging to Illandaridewa Amaris, Maragahawatta belonging to Adiris, Ambalamewatta whereon I. D. Sara resides, south by Delgahawatta whereon I. D. Mitcho resides, Etambagahawatta belonging to I. D. Sarners. Delgahawatta and cinnamon land belonging to Odiris Silva, and on the west by Cinnamon land belonging to Odiris Silva and land worked by Peduruwa Hakuru Sadoris, Wasalabokke Crown land; and containing in extent twelve acres, three roods and four perches (A. 12 R. 3 P. 4)

For further particulars, please apply to S. Ekaratna, Esq., Proctor, S. C., and Notary Public, or to me—

Kurunduwatta, P. W. RICHARD DE SILVA,
Ambalangoda, January 17, 1949. Auctioneer and Commissioner

Auction Sale under Partition Decree

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in Case No. B 1,447, D. C., Balapitiya, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, January 31, 1949, commencing at 3 p.m. at the spot the following property, viz.—

The land called Mahawatta bearing T. P. 221,172 situated at Keramunya in Ambalangoda in Wellaboda pattu, Galle District, containing in extent 1 rood and 20 perches as per plan No. 776 dated April 22, 1945, made by Mr. W. W. Gunawardana, Licensed Surveyor. The said land will be sold first among the co-owners in 3 separate lots as per block plan No. 776A dated July 24, 1948, made by Mr. W. W. Gunawardana, Licensed Surveyor, and if any one of them failing to buy the same over the appraised value, same will be immediately put up for sale among the public in terms of Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Randombe, Ambalangoda. W. D. DE SILVA,
December 8, 1948. Commissioner.

Auction Sale

UNDER Partition Decree in D C, Galle Case No. L 1003, I shall sell by public auction the following property in 4 blocks as per block plan No. 3915A dated October 22, 1948, made by Mr. V. L. D. Abeygunawardena, Surveyor, on February 26, 1949, at 3 p.m., at the spot in terms of Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1963.—

All that Galgodawatta comprising of lots A and B situated at Ettihgoda in Galle and containing in extent A. 1 R. 0 P. 19.

Ratnagiri, Unawatuna,
December 22, 1948.

D. G. RATNAPALA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Public Auction Sale

BY virtue of commission issued to me in O R, Kegalla, Case No. 18,421, I shall sell the following land on Friday, February 11, 1949, at 4 p.m. at the spot. An undivided 1/14th share of Boguhamula-kumbura, adjoining Assedduma-kumbura, Buliadda-wagala kumbura and Pillewa, containing in extent 11 acres and 18 perches, situated at Kulipitiya, Kurunegala District.

Further particulars from A. Warakaula, Esq., Proctor, Kegalla.

Kegalla, January 19, 1949.

D. S. WIJEWARDENA,
Auctioneer.

Application for Enrolment as an Advocate

I, Alagu Subramaniam of 14, 1st Cross Street, Jaffna, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon for admission as an Advocate of the said Court.

ALAGU SUBRAMANIAM.

APPLICATIONS FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES

I hereby give notice that I have on January 6, 1949, applied to the A. G. A., Kalutara, 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. Don Manuelge Cyril J. Perera, Manager, New Imperial Theatre, Kalutara.

Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: New Imperial Theatre, Kalutara.

CYRIL PERERA,
Applicant.

D. M. CYRIL J. PERERA,
Manager, New Imperial Theatre, Kalutara.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES

Ceylon Savings Bank declares Higher Rate of Interest on all Deposits

IT is hereby notified by the Directors of the Ceylon Savings Bank that the rate of interest to be paid to depositors under Rule 3 for the year 1949 be 2½ per cent.

Colombo, January 7, 1949.

LESLIE V. COORAY,
Secretary.

The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that I, Dalawella Gurukandage Dayaratna, Assistant Government Agent of the Hambantota District, have, by virtue of powers vested in me by section 15 (1) (a) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, approved the resolution set out in the schedule hereto.

Colombo, January 10, 1949. Assistant Government Agent.

Schedule

This meeting of proprietors within the irrigable area under Divulgamawewa in Magam pattu in Hambantota District, Southern Province, approves of the scheme relating to that irrigation work and prepared under Part V. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

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IT is hereby notified that J. Hamilton Shirley Amarasinghe, Assistant Government Agent of Matale District, have by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 15 (1) (a) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, approved the resolution set out in the schedule hereto

The Kachcheri,
Matale, December 20, 1948

H. S. AMARASINGHE,
Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE**Resolution**

This meeting of proprietors within the irrigable area of Hulangamuwa Amuna irrigation work in Matale South Division of Matale District, Central Province, approves of the scheme relating to that irrigation work and prepared under Part V. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that I, William Holmes, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, have by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 15 (1) (a) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, approved the resolution set out in the schedule hereto.

The Kachcheri,
Badulla, December 19, 1948.

W. HOLMES,
Government Agent.

SCHEDULE**Resolution**

This meeting of proprietors within the irrigable area of Bubule-ela (in Buntenna) irrigation work in the Province of Uva approves of the scheme relating to that irrigation work and prepared under Part V. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that I, William Holmes, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, have by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 15 (1) (a) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, approved the resolution set out in the schedule hereto.

The Kachcheri,
Badulla, December 19, 1948.

W. HOLMES,
Government Agent.

SCHEDULE**Resolution**

This meeting of proprietors within the irrigable area of Watugodawela-ela irrigation work in the Province of Uva approves of the scheme relating to that irrigation work and prepared under Part V. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that I, Neil Quintus Dias, Assistant Government Agent of the Matara District, have by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 15 (1) (a) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, approved the resolution set out in the schedule hereto.

Matara, December 23, 1948. Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE**Resolution**

This meeting of proprietors within the irrigable area of the Korawe Kudatota irrigation work in the Gangaboda pattu, Matara District, Southern Province, approves of the scheme relating to that irrigation work and prepared under Part V. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that I, Nagamuttu Manicka Idai-kadar, Assistant Government Agent of the Vavuniya District, have, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 15 (1) (a) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, approved the resolution set out in the schedule hereto.

Vavuniya, September 22, 1948.

SCHEDULE**Resolution**

This meeting of proprietors within the irrigable area of Pramanankulam irrigation work in Vavuniya North, Vavuniya District, approves of the scheme relating to that irrigation work and prepared under Part V. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946.

Export Control Notice No. 1/49

Export of Cocoa

APPLICATIONS for export licences for orders from any destination will be considered up to 900 tons as from January 14, 1949, provided the net f.o.b. price in Rs per cwt is not below the minimum fair prices which are as follows:—

Sample		F.O.B. Fair Prices per cwt in Rupees
No	Grade	
1	E A. 1	180
2	E B. 1	160
3	Smalls	115
4	A. 1	177
5	Standard 20	165
6	B 1	160
7	B.B. 1	152
8	B. 2	144
9	Cocoa Meat	125

2. Applications for export licences on form Q must be submitted in triplicate to the Controller of Exports.

3. Every "Q" Form must state the grade of cocoa for which the licence is required (by inserting a sample number in cage 1 (a) of the form) and must be supported by the under-mentioned documents:—

(a) a letter from the shipper giving the following details on Form QA in duplicate—

- (i) the quantity ordered quoting the relative sample number;
- (ii) the actual price bid in the currency in which the business is being transacted and details of charges which must be deducted in order to convert it to an f.o.b. Colombo basis (the charges include freight and insurance (if any) and also any commission, discounts, brokerage or any other allowance to be remitted back to the overseas agent or buyer or to be deducted when drawing);
- (iii) the net f.o.b. price in rupees per cwt. which must not be below the minimum fair price.

(b) an irrevocable Letter of Credit.

4. No destination will be granted export licences totalling more than 200 tons.

Colombo, January 12, 1949. N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Controller of Exports.

Import Control Notice No. 10/49

Importation of Bicycles, Bicycle Spares and Accessories, 1949

IMPORTERS are referred to Import Control Notice No. 3/49 of January 5, 1949, regarding the importation of bicycles, and spares and accessories thereof.

2. Customs stamped entries and invoices in support of imports of these items from all sources during the year 1948, together with statements of confirmed outstanding orders placed before December 23, 1948, vide my Notice No. 3/49, should be forwarded for the issue of import allocations for 1949.

3. A separate notice regarding newcomers will be published.

Import Control Office, N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Colombo, January 13, 1949. Controller of imports.

Import Control Notice No. 11/49

Paper

APPLICATIONS for licences for the importation of paper from any source including Canada, Newfoundland and Hong Kong will now be considered and indents in quadruplicate together with firm offers of supply may be forwarded on form 'IMP' giving imports in 1948. Individual import licences are not required for items of paper still under Open General Licence No. 4.

Import Control Office, N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Colombo, January 14, 1949. Controller of Imports.

Import Control Notice No. 12/49

Leather Footwear

IMPORTERS are requested to forward a statement of their imports of men's and youths' leather footwear in 1947 and 1948 from all sources giving quantity and the C.I.F. value, together with Customs entries and Customs stamped invoices before January 31, 1949. They will thereafter be informed of their allocation for the first half of the year.

2. Indents in quadruplicate together with firm offers for children's and ladies' leather footwear from any source may now be forwarded to be licensed.

Import Control Office, N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Controller of Imports.

Import Control Notice No. 13/49

IMPORTERS are informed that import licences for the period January/June, 1949, for the following commodities, will be issued on production of a firm offer. The indent should give the total c.i.f. value of the commodity and separate indents should be forwarded in respect of each item:—

Category and Item No	Commodity
C 5	Currystuffs
C 5 I	Coriander
C 6	Fish dried and salted

Import Control Office, N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Controller of Imports.

Import Control Notice No. 14/49

ESTABLISHED importers are informed that import licences for the period January/June, 1949, for the following commodities will be issued based on imports during the year 1948. The limiting factor will not be quantity but the c.i.f. value in rupees:—

Category and Item No.	Commodity
B 61	Jaggery
C 2 H	Hay and Straw

2. A statement of imports during 1948 supported by Customs stamped entries and invoices together with a statement of orders outstanding which were placed before December 23, 1948, should be forwarded on or before January 31, 1949. Any application received after that date will not be considered.

3. Separate applications should be made in respect of each item.

4. A certain percentage will be reserved for new comers. A further notice regarding new comers will be published at an early date.

Import Control Office, N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Controller of Imports.

Import Control Notice No. 15/49

THE attention of importers is drawn to my Import Control Notice No. 3/49 of January 5, 1949. Allocations for the following items will be issued to importers based on imports from all sources in 1947:—

Cutlery other than razor blades	C 56 F
Razor blades	C 57

2. A statement of imports supported by Customs entries and Customs stamped invoices together with a statement of confirmed outstanding orders which were placed before December 23, 1948, should be forwarded to this office on or before January 31, 1949.

3. A separate notice will be published regarding new comers.

Import Control Office, N. U. JAYAWARDENA,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Controller of Imports.

In the Matter of the Application of the Provisions of Section 277 of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, for striking the Name of Jaffnapatam Industrial Works, Limited, off the Register of Companies.

WHEREAS there is reasonable cause to believe that Jaffnapatam Industrial Works, Limited, a Company incorporated on December 19, 1947, under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, 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 3 months from this date the name of Jaffnapatam Industrial Works, 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.

W. M. SELLAYAH,
Registrar of Companies.

Department of the Registrar of Companies,
P. O. Box 571, Colombo, January 10, 1949.

I, Mayilvakanam Sri Khanta, District Warden of the Puttalam and Chilaw Districts, do hereby declare under section 12 (1) of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Cap. 325), the area specified hereunder to be an area within which damage by elephants is apprehended.

A licence authorising the holder thereof to hunt, shoot or kill an elephant within this area, will on application made to me be issued subject to such conditions as may be necessary or expedient, free of charge.

This declaration will be in force for a period of two months from January 15, 1949.

M. SRI KHANTA,
Assistant Government Agent and
District Warden, Puttalam and
Chilaw Districts.

The Kachcheri,
Puttalam January 15, 1949.

Area referred to

North by Waddatta-Sohonkalma-Madurankuli V. C. Road.
East by Kottukachchiya-Walpaluwa-Andigama D. R. C.
V. C. Road.
South by Andigama-Keeriyankali P. W. D. Road.
West by Keeriyankali-Madurankuli P. W. D. Road.

Ceylon Government Railway

*Recruitment of Candidates to Service of Station Masters
and Officers-in-Charge of Stations and Goods Sheds*

A competitive examination for male candidates wishing to enter the service of Station Masters and Officers-in-Charge of Stations and Goods Sheds, under the Scheme set out in paragraph 606 of Sessional Paper VIII of 1946, will be held in Colombo on February 19, 1949.

Salary.

2. (i) Successful candidates will be appointed, on two years' probation, on a salary of Rs. 840 per annum while on probation and on being confirmed in their appointments they will be paid a salary of Rs. 960 per annum, rising by annual increments of Rs. 120 to Rs. 3,600 per annum with efficiency bars before Rs. 1,440 and Rs. 2,640.

(ii) Successful candidates who have been *full-time* serving members of a unit of the Armed Forces or who have been *full-time* members of the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions or Civil Defence Services will be placed at suitable points in the salary scale so that they will receive some credit for war service if their ages exceed the maximum age in the normal age limit specified in para 5 (iv) below.

(iii) No incremental credit will be allowed to successful candidates in respect of service as civilian clerks in Service Departments.

Conditions of Service.

3. (i) The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII of 1934, as modified by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII of 1946. Rent allowance will be payable. Successful candidates will be subject to the Public Service, Financial and other Standing Regulations of the Government and the Railway.

(ii) Successful candidates will be liable to transfer and may be posted to any station on the Ceylon Government Railway.

(iii) Successful candidates will be required to pass an examination in the following subjects within two years of the date of their appointment.—

Traffic working
Telegraphy
Station Accounts
Sinhalese
Tamil } Colloquial knowledge of both languages.

Special courses of training in the above subjects, except in Sinhalese and Tamil, will be arranged.

4. The names of successful candidates will be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, and they will be given appointment as vacancies occur.

Eligibility.

5. (i) Candidates must be of good character.

(ii) Candidates must be Ceylonese*.

(iii) Candidates should have previously passed at least

(a) The Cambridge Senior or the London Matriculation, or the Ceylon Senior School Certificate (English) Examination; or

(b) The Final Examination of the Commercial Certificate of the Ceylon Technical College; or

* For the purpose of this examination a Ceylonese is—

(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 of Defence and External Affairs, in view of special circumstances, to be a Ceylonese.

(c) One of the following Junior Examinations:—

The Cambridge Junior, the Junior School Certificate (English) Examination of the Education Department, Ceylon, or the Junior School Certificate (English) Examination held by a School approved by the Education Department for the Senior School Certificate (English) Examination, together with, either (i) the Higher Commercial Certificate Examination (either section) of the London Chamber of Commerce or (ii) the Commercial Certificate Examination (either section) of the London Chamber of Commerce, or the examination of the Ceylon Chamber of Commerce.

Note.—The original certificates of educational qualifications should be attached to the application form. Submission of copies of certificates will render the application liable to disqualification.

(iv) Candidates must not be less than 17 years nor more than 23 years of age on January 31, 1949.

6. (i) The following persons will also be eligible to take this examination provided they have passed at least the Cambridge Junior, the Junior School Certificate (English) Examination of the Education Department, Ceylon, or the Junior School Certificate (English) Examination held by a school approved by the Education Department for the Senior School Certificate (English) Examination, or the Commercial Certificate Examination, either Certificate or Higher Stage, either section of the London Chamber of Commerce or Ceylon Chamber of Commerce.

Note.—The original certificates of educational qualifications should be attached to the application form. Certificates submitted must clearly state the examination passed; it will not suffice for a candidate who has passed one of the above examinations to forward a certificate stating that he is "studying in" or "left from" a higher class. Such a certificate will not be accepted and will disqualify him from being admitted to the examination.

(A) Persons who have been *full-time* serving members of a unit of the Armed Forces for any length of time during the period September 3, 1939, to August 15, 1945, inclusive, and who were honourably discharged.

(B) Persons who have been *full-time* members of the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions or Civil Defence Services (excluding those who were dismissed or had left those services of their own accord) for any length of time during the period September 3, 1939, to August 15, 1945, inclusive.

Note.—(A) A person who while serving in one of these services was employed otherwise will not be considered to have done *full-time* service.

(B) Civil Defence Services will be held to include only those Services the members of which were enrolled under Defence Regulations.

(C) Persons who have been employed as Civilian Clerks in Service Departments whose services commenced from a date prior to August 15, 1945, who have at least one year's continuous satisfactory service certified by the Head of the Department concerned.

(D) Persons who have had service as Temporary Clerks in the Ceylon Government Railway after August 15, 1945, and who have had at least one year's continuous satisfactory service as such. Service as a Timekeeping Clerk or Storeman, Class III, continuous with service as a Temporary Clerk may be counted as temporary service.

(ii) In computing age for the purpose of age limit prescribed in para 5 (iv), the following rules will be observed:—

(a) Candidates referred to in paragraph 6 (i) (A) will be allowed to deduct the period of their mobilised service between September 3, 1939, and January 31, 1949, from their ages;

(b) Candidates referred to in paragraph 6 (i) (B) will be allowed to deduct the period of their continuous *full-time* service with those services between September 3, 1939, and January 31, 1949, from their ages;

(c) Candidates referred to in paragraph 6 (i) (C) will be allowed to deduct the period of their service in those Departments between September 3, 1939, and January 31, 1949, from their ages. If the period of service is not continuous, each separate period must be supported by a certificate of satisfactory service from the Head of the Department concerned.

(d) Candidates referred to in paragraph 6 (i) (D) will be allowed to deduct the period of their service under the Ceylon Government Railway between September 3, 1939, and January 31, 1949, from their ages. If the period of service is not continuous, each separate period must be supported by a certificate of satisfactory service from the Head of Sub-Department concerned.

Applications.

7. (i) Applications for admission to the examination must be addressed to the Acting General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway, and be made in the candidate's own handwriting in the form given below.

Applications must be sent by registered post to reach the Acting General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway, Colombo, not later than 4.30 p.m. on January 31, 1949. Any applications received after that hour will be rejected.

(ii) Applications from candidates not in Railway service must be accompanied by a Money Order for Rs. 10 in favour of the Acting General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway. Stamps and cheques will not be accepted.

(iii) Railway employees possessing the necessary educational qualifications, and within the age limits prescribed, will be admitted to the examination without fee. Their applications should be forwarded through the Heads of their respective Sub-Departments or the Divisional Transportation Superintendents.

(iv) Services Personnel must forward their applications through the Officer Commanding the Unit in which they are serving. Those who have been released from the Services, including those in the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence Services must forward the originals of their Discharge Certificates in proof of their satisfactory service. These certificates should, in addition, indicate clearly the period of their service. If any candidate fails to do so, he will be regarded as disqualified.

(v) Candidates who are already employed in Government Departments, whether in a permanent or temporary capacity, must forward their applications through the Heads of the Departments in which they are serving. Any candidate, who fails to do so, will be regarded as disqualified.

(vi) A certificate of the registration of the candidate's birth must be attached to the form of application.

Note.—(a) Certificates of birth issued for the purpose of the Code for Assisted Schools will not be accepted for this examination.

(b) Affidavits will not be accepted as substitutes for birth certificates.

(c) A certified copy of a birth registration entry effected more than one year after the date of the birth, under section 18 (1) (b) of the Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance (Cap. 94), will be accepted only after consideration of the evidence by which the date of birth was established. Where the name appearing in the birth certificate differs from the name which the candidate ordinarily uses, satisfactory evidence will have to be adduced that the birth certificate is that of the candidate and not that of any other person. Where the candidate is under 21 years of age or is more than 21 years of age and has a parent living, application should be made to the Registrar-General's or to the Provincial Registrar's or Assistant Provincial Registrar's Office, in the district in which the birth took place under section 19 of the Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance for the amendment of the entry in case 2 of the birth registration entry, and in other cases application should be made to the District Court under section 20 for rectification of the entry in case 2.

(d) A birth certificate that does not bear the name by which a candidate is known or differs from the name given in the form of application will not be accepted for this examination.

(e) A certificate of good character signed by a responsible person to the satisfaction of the Acting General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway, must also be attached to the form of application. If the candidate has been educated at a Government or Assisted School, the certificate of character must be from the Principal of the last Government or Assisted School which he has attended: otherwise it may be from the candidate's teacher or school master by preference or a member of the Public Service, a Justice of the Peace, Minister of Religion, Advocate, Proctor or Notary, or generally speaking, some person whose name is known and to whom reference can be readily made.

8. The Acting General Manager will return to those candidates, whose applications have been approved, 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 admission approved by the Acting General Manager. A candidate not producing such form will be refused admittance to the examination.

A copy of the Time Table and the Rules for the guidance of candidates for the examination will be forwarded together with the admission form. These should be read carefully by the candidates.

9. Should any of the particulars furnished by candidates be found to be false within their knowledge, they will, if appointed, be liable to be dismissed. The wilful suppression of any material fact will be similarly penalised.

Withdrawals and Refunds.

10. (i) If a candidate's application is not accepted owing to his not satisfying the conditions for admission to the Examination, no refund of the admission fee of Rs 10 will be made.

(ii) If a candidate, who has been admitted to the examination, gives notice of his withdrawal to the Acting General Manager at least 7 days before the date of examination, a refund will be made of half of the fee, provided his form of admission to the examination is returned with his notice of withdrawal.

(iii) A candidate, who has been admitted to the examination and wishes to withdraw on account of illness should forward notice of his withdrawal to reach the Acting General Manager at least one day before the examination. A refund of the full fee will then be made, provided his notice of withdrawal is accompanied by a certificate from a qualified medical officer to the effect that he is unfit to sit for the examination.

(iv) In no other case will a refund be granted.

Subjects.

11. The subjects for the examination are as follows:—

(1) English Language and Composition—

A one and a half hour paper which will include an essay, a precis and questions to test the correct use of the English Language .. 150

(2) General Paper—

A two and a half hour paper in three sections as follows:—

(a) 50 minutes. A test of accuracy with figures including Totals and additions of various kinds
(b) 50 minutes. A test of general intelligence
(c) 50 minutes. A test of general and local knowledge } 150

(3) One of the following:—

Sinhalese
Tamil
Arabic
English (Special Paper) } One hour paper.. 100

Candidates, both of whose parents are Sinhalese or both Tamil, must take Sinhalese or Tamil, whichever language they prefer. Other candidates will be given the option of offering Sinhalese or Tamil or Arabic or a Special Paper in English.

(4) *Viva Voce* Test .. 100

12 The examination is held in two parts. The written examination is first held and on the results of it, candidates are selected competitively to attend the *Viva Voce* examination. The number to be called for the *Viva Voce* examination will be fixed by the Acting General Manager. 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.

Medical Examination.

13. The selected candidates will be required to pass a medical examination as to their physical fitness for service in any part of the Island immediately on selection; also before appointment, if the interval is sufficiently long to warrant such a further examination.

14. The Acting General Manager does not undertake to provide the selected candidates with posts immediately, but they will be given appointment as vacancies occur, on two years' probation.

M. KANAGASABAY,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office, C. G. R.,
Colombo, January 15, 1949.

Form of Application for Admission to the Railway Clerical Service (Station Scheme)

I, _____, beg to apply for employment in the Railway Clerical Service (Station Scheme) in accordance with the conditions laid down in the Notification of *Government Gazette* of January 21, 1949, and, if admitted, I undertake to conform to all Railway Regulations and to work and reside at any station without question.

1. Full name of candidate and whether Sinhalese, Tamil, Burgher, &c. _____

2. Postal address to which the application should be returned (in the case of Government officers, the official address should be given): _____

3. Date of birth (supported by Certificate of Registration). (Certificate of Birth issued for purpose of the Code for Assisted Schools and Affidavits will not be accepted): _____

4. Is the candidate already employed in the service of Government and, if so, appointments held with dates since entering service? _____

5. Present employment, if any. _____

6. Examinations passed (original certificates should be attached). _____

7. Subject offered *vide* para 11 (3) of Gazette Notification. _____

8. Is the candidate a Ceylonese in terms of Gazette Notification? _____

9. Recommended by (original testimonials should be attached). _____

10. Name and Profession or employment of father, and whether alive: _____

I hereby certify that all the particulars that I have entered in this Application Form are true.

2. A Money Order (No. _____) for Rupees Ten (Rs. 10) is enclosed.

Date: _____, 1949.

Signature of Candidate.

Survey Department.

APPLICATIONS are invited for one candidate to be trained as Assistant Superintendent of Surveys

2. Salary, allowances, and conditions of service. —

Salary scale —Rs 4,080—Rs 12,720 per annum by 12 annual increments of Rs 360 each, and nine of Rs. 480 each (two years on Rs 10,800; efficiency bars before Rs 8,040 and Rs 11,280) If appointed thereafter as Superintendent of Surveys; salary scale will be Rs 13,200 to Rs 15,000 by three annual increments of Rs 600 each. The grant of leave will be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII of 1934, and other conditions of service will be as modified by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII of 1946 Rent allowance is payable. Travelling expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with Financial and Departmental Regulations

3. *Period and terms of engagement.*—Probationary period of 3 years', after which, if service has been satisfactory, the officer will be placed on the permanent and pensionable establishment. The probationary period of 3 years will run from the date of entering the Training School at Diyatalawa

4. (1) *Qualifications required.*—Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof—

- that he is a Ceylonese*
- that he is not less than 19 years and not more than 26 years of age on February 1, 1949.
- that he is of good moral character.

(2) Candidates for this appointment must hold a Science degree of the University of Ceylon or of a University in the United Kingdom, which must have included a course of study in Mathematics, or an equivalent qualification, and possess good physique and eyesight

Applicants should attach to their applications—

- A certificate of age showing the registration of the applicant's birth (Certificates of birth issued for the purposes of the Code for Assisted Schools will not be accepted.) Affidavits will not be accepted as substitutes for birth certificates,

Certificates of Baptism will be accepted, provided the baptism took place within four months of the date of birth; a certificate of baptism must be a copy of the entry in the Baptismal Register, and must be certified as such by the Incumbent of the Church in which the Register is kept;

- His name in full and present address. (Government employees should give their official address);
- Father's name, profession, and residence;
- A certificate of character from the Head of the School or College at which the applicant was educated;
- A statement showing where he was educated, examinations passed, degrees taken, &c., and present occupation. Whether he can read and write Sinhalese and/or Tamil;
- Particulars of property possessed by the applicant, showing the situation and nature of the land or property. It should be stated in the case of landed property, whether it is ancestral or recently-acquired

5. Demobilised Ceylonese members of the armed forces and full-time members of the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence Services, whether officers or

*For the purpose of this appointment a Ceylonese is—

- a British subject who is born in Ceylon, one of whose parents was born in Ceylon, or
- a British subject who is a descendant of a person falling within category (a), or
- a British subject deemed by the Minister for Defence and External Affairs, in view of special circumstances, to be a Ceylonese.

other ranks who joined such Services before August 15, 1945 (excluding those who had left those services of their own accord), will be allowed the following concessions:—

- The period of service during the war will be deducted from their age in computing the age for the purposes of age limit;
- Consideration will be given for skill and experience gained during the war service, and those possessing the requisite technical qualifications will be given preference

Note.—(1) The concessions referred to above do not apply to civilian employees in Service Departments and temporary employees in Government Emergency Departments

(2) Civil Defence Services will be held to include only those Services the members of which were enrolled under the Defence Regulations.

6. Candidates will be required to appear before a Selection Board at Colombo.

7. The selected candidate will be required—

- to pass a medical examination;
- to enter into an agreement and bond;
- to undergo a practical course in Surveying and Levelling, most probably for two years in Ceylon, partly in Diyatalawa and partly attached to Survey Parties in the field, to be followed by a course in England. During the period of training in Ceylon he will be paid an allowance at Rs. 3,000 per annum plus cost of living allowance. If no vacancy occurs in England at the end of this course, the candidate will be given further training on the same allowance until a vacancy occurs;
- to undergo a course at a Survey Training Centre in the United Kingdom and/or a post-Graduate Course at the University of Cambridge;
- prior to his departure to England, to present himself before a special Medical Board at Colombo with a view to ascertaining whether he is physically fit to undergo a course of study in countries with conditions of climate and environment materially differing from those obtaining in Ceylon.

8. The candidate will receive free passage to England and back. The University and/or Training Centre fees will be paid. An outfit allowance of approximately Rs. 1,000 and an allowance of approximately £25 per month will also be paid to cover all other dues and expenses.

9. If the candidate is reported on favourably by the Training Centre and/or University authorities he will, on his return to Ceylon, on completion of his training, receive appointment as Assistant Superintendent of Surveys. On completion of the period of probation referred to in paragraph 3, and if the officer's service has been satisfactory, he will be placed on the permanent and pensionable establishment of the Survey Department, as an Assistant Superintendent of Surveys, and will be eligible for further promotion.

10. Applications must be sent by registered post to reach the Surveyor-General, Surveyor-General's Office, P. O. Box 506, Colombo, not later than 2 P.M., on February 11, 1949.

11. Applicants who are already employed in Government Departments, whether in a permanent or temporary capacity, must annex to their applications, a certificate from the Heads of the Departments in which they are serving, that they have been granted the necessary permission to apply. If any candidate fails to do so, he will be regarded as disqualified. Ex-servicemen should forward their Service discharge certificates.

12. Should any of the particulars furnished by applicants be found to be false within their knowledge, they will, if appointed, be liable to be dismissed. The wilful suppression of any material fact will be similarly penalised.

13. Their applications must also bear a duly cancelled stamp of Rs. 5. No refund of the stamp fee will be made, but when a candidate fails to attend the Selection Board on account of illness, half the fee will be refunded, provided his illness is supported by a medical certificate from a qualified Medical Officer.

14. No applications will be entertained after 2 P.M., on February 11, 1949.

15. The selected candidate will be required to commence his training at Diyatalawa as early as possible.

16. Letters from applicants who do not possess the necessary qualifications will not be answered.

I. F. WILSON,
Surveyor-General's Office (Branch C),
P. O. Box 506,
Colombo, January 18, 1949.

Note.—No communication regarding this appointment should be addressed to the Surveyor-General in person.

Education Department

APPLICATIONS are invited from Graduates and Trained Graduates for the post of Assistant Master, Government Training College Senior Secondary School. Only those capable of teaching Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics up to the S.S.C. need apply.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese.
3. Salary will be paid according to qualifications.
4. The appointment will be on one year's probation. In the case of persons not already in the pensionable service of Government, pension for service in the post in question will be in accordance with the rules of the School Teachers' Pension Ordinance. The selected candidate will be required to contribute 4 per cent of his salary towards pension.
5. Rent Allowance is payable according to rates applicable to Government Servants. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will in the case of a new entrant be governed by the recommendations of Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934.
6. The successful candidate is liable to be transferred to another post of similar status in any part of the Island.
7. The selected candidate if not already in the Public Service will be required to pass a medical examination as to his physical fitness before appointment.
8. Applications from those already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. Applications from those in Assisted Schools must be forwarded through the Managers of their schools.
9. Applications should be in the specimen form given below and should reach the Principal, Government Training College, Maharagama, on or before February 10, 1949. Only copies of testimonials and certificates should be attached.

Education Office, W. A. DE SILVA,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Acting Director of Education.

SPECIMEN FORM

Assistant Master, G.T.C. Senior Secondary School

1. Name : _____
2. Address : _____
3. Qualifications : _____
4. Teaching experience : _____
(Give details of classes and subjects taught and present post.)
5. Other qualifications : _____
6. Copies of testimonials from : _____
7. Signature and Date : _____

Education Department

APPLICATIONS are invited from Graduates or English Trained Teachers for posts as Assistant Masters at the Post Primary School attached to Royal Primary School, Colombo. A knowledge of Cadet Work and/or Handicraft will be an added qualification.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese.
3. Salary will be paid according to qualifications.
4. The appointment will be on one year's probation. In the case of persons not already in the pensionable service of Government, pension for service in the posts in question will be in accordance with the rules of the School Teachers' Pension Ordinance. The selected candidates will be required to contribute 4 per cent of their salary towards pension.
5. Rent allowance is payable according to rates applicable to Government Servants. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will in the case of new entrants be governed by the recommendations of Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934.
6. The successful candidates are liable to be transferred to other posts of similar status in any part of the Island.
7. The selected candidates if not already in the Public Service will be required to pass a medical examination as to physical fitness before appointment.
8. Applications from those already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. Applications from those in Assisted Schools must be forwarded through the Managers of their Schools.
9. Applications must be on a special form obtainable from the Headmaster, Royal Primary School, Colombo, and should reach him on or before Thursday, February 10, 1949. Only copies of testimonials and certificates should be attached.

Education Office, W. A. DE SILVA,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Acting Director of Education.

Post of Inspector (temporary), Town and Country Planning Department

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Government Town Planner, Department of Town and Country Planning, McCallum Road, Colombo, up to 12 noon on February 10, 1949, for a post of Inspector (temporary).

2. The salary scale attached to this post is Rs 3,600—180—4,800 per annum. The selected candidate may, however, be placed at a suitable point in the salary scale according to his qualifications and experience.

3. The post is temporary and non-pensionable but the holder of the post will be permitted to contribute to the Public Service Provident Fund.

4. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934 and VIII. of 1946. Applications from officers already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Heads of their departments.

5. Applicants must be Ceylonese and should hold the Surveyor-General's licence in surveying and levelling or an equivalent qualification and have completed the Course in Building Construction at the Ceylon Technical College or any other recognized institution. They must have had at least 10 years' practical and field experience in Surveying, Building Construction and Civil Engineering or Town Planning.

6. Applications should be in the candidate's own handwriting substantially in the form given below. Application forms will not be supplied by this department.

McCallum Road, O. WEERASINGHE,
Colombo, January 15, 1949. Government Town Planner.

Form of Application for the Post of Inspector (temporary) Town and Country Planning Department

1. Name in full : _____
 2. Address : _____
 3. Age last birthday : _____
 4. Educational qualifications : _____
 5. Details of practical and field experience possessed (claims must be supported by copies of certificates) : _____
 6. Technical qualifications in Town Planning, if any : _____
 7. Details of service in the Armed forces, if any : _____
 8. Any special claims : _____
 9. Present post and salary : _____
- Signature : _____
- Date : _____, 1949.

Posts of Draughtsmen, Department of Town and Country Planning

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Government Town Planner, Department of Town and Country Planning, McCallum Road, Colombo, up to 12 noon on February 10, 1949, for four posts of Draughtsmen, Class II (temporary).

2. The salary scale attached to these posts is Rs 1,080—120—3,480 per annum, efficiency bar before Rs 2,640.

3. Applicants for these posts must be Ceylonese, over 20 years of age and must possess educational qualifications at least equivalent to the J.S.C. (English). They must adduce proof of possessing a good knowledge of building construction gained by following a course in the Technical College or under qualified Architects or Engineers, or in the Services, and must be able to set up working drawings from sketches supplied. They must also have had experience as draughtsmen in recognized architectural or engineering offices or in the Services. Consideration for skill and experience gained during war service will be given.

4. The candidates selected will be placed at points in the salary scale, if their qualifications and experience warrant.

5. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Papers VIII. of 1934 and VIII. of 1946. Applications from officers already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. The selected candidates, if not already in Government Service, will be required to pass a medical examination.

6. The post is temporary and non-pensionable, but the holder of the post will be permitted to contribute to the Public Service Provident Fund.

7. Applications should be in the candidates' own handwriting substantially in the form given below.

Application forms will not be supplied by this Department.

Colombo, January 15, 1949. O. WEERASINGHE,
Government Town Planner.

Form of Application for Post of Draughtsman, Department of Town and Country Planning

1. Name in full : _____
2. Address : _____
3. Age last birthday : _____
4. Educational qualifications : _____
5. Technical qualifications in building construction : _____
6. Details of practical experience : _____
7. Details of service in the Armed forces, if any : _____
8. Present post and salary : _____
9. Any other special claims : _____

Signature : _____

Date : _____

Public Works Department

Tracers

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Temporary Tracers for the University Scheme in the Public Works Department

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese* not above the age of 20 years on February 5, 1949. They must have passed at least the Junior School Certificate (English) Examination

3. The salary scale of the post is Rs 660—42—1,668 per annum

4. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable. The selected candidates may 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 will be appointed on trial for one year and no increments will be granted until a test is passed

6. Tracers will not be considered eligible for transfer to the Apprentice Draughtsmen grade or the Draughtsmen grade unless they possess the S. S. C. (English) Certificate and have passed a course equivalent to the Apprentice Draughtsmen Course at the Ceylon Technical College

7. An officer not already in the Public Service will before appointment be required to pass a medical examination.

8. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be in accordance with Government regulations in force. Rent allowance is payable.

9. Applications should be submitted only in the form attached below and should be addressed to the Director of Public Works, Branch E, Colombo, to reach not later than 12 noon on February 5, 1949. An application from a person already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of his Department. An application which is not on the prescribed form will not be considered.

10. No application should be addressed to me personally. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will render the application liable to be rejected

11. Candidates should be prepared to present themselves for an interview at their own expense if required

Public Works Office, T. A. BURNS,
Colombo, January 11, 1949. for 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 : _____
13. If previously employed in any Government Department give exact cause of leaving : _____
14. If ever convicted of any criminal offence in a Court of Law, give particulars of offence and punishment : _____

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.

(4) Any false declaration by an applicant will render him liable to summary dismissal, if employed.

*vide note 2 to Application Form.

APPLICATIONS are invited for training as Village Cultivation Officers (preference will be given to candidates born or permanently residing in Mannar District) and will be received by the undersigned till 12 noon on Monday, January 31, 1949

2. Candidates must not be less than 18 years or more than 30 years of age and must have passed the Senior School Certificate or an equivalent or higher examination with Mathematics and Sinhalese or Tamil.

3. The selected candidate will be trained centrally by the Irrigation Department and Agricultural Department and they will be paid an allowance of Rs 50 per mensem during the period of training. Living allowance is payable on this

4. The training in the Irrigation Department will be for a period of one year. If this training is in Colombo, candidates should arrange for their own board and lodging, but if in an outstation living quarters may be provided. The Agricultural training with the Department of Agriculture will be practical and spread over two cultivation seasons

5. On the satisfactory completion of their training they will be tested and those successful will be appointed Village Cultivation Officers in the district in which they are selected on a salary of Rs. 840 per annum on the scale Rs. 840—72—Rs 2,424, efficiency bars before Rs 1,488 and Rs 2,064. On the completion of 5 years service and passing a further examination the Village Cultivation Officers will be eligible for promotion as Cultivation Superintendents on the salary scale of Rs 1,200—72 and 120—Rs. 3,600 if vacancies in the higher grade exist.

The Kachcheri, R. L. ARNOLDA,
Mannar, January 5, 1949. Assistant Government Agent.

APPLICATIONS are invited to reach me before February 1, 1949 (from candidates born or permanently residing in the Batticaloa District) for training as Village Cultivation Officers.

2. Candidates must not be less than 18 years or more than 30 years of age and must have passed the Senior School Certificate or an equivalent or higher examination with Mathematics and Sinhalese or Tamil.

3. The selected candidates will be trained centrally by the Irrigation Department and Agricultural Department and they will be paid an allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem during the period of training. Living allowance is payable on this.

4. The training in the Irrigation Department will be for a period of one year. If this training is in Colombo, candidates should arrange for their own board and lodging, but if in an outstation, living quarters may be provided. The Agricultural training with the Department of Agriculture will be practical and spread over two cultivation seasons.

5. On the satisfactory completion of their training they will be tested and those successful will be appointed Village Cultivation Officers in the districts in which they were selected on a salary of Rs 840—72—Rs 2,424, efficiency bars before Rs 1,488 and Rs. 2,064. On the completion of 5 years service and passing a further examination, the Village Cultivation Officers will be eligible for promotion as Cultivation Superintendents on the salary scale of Rs. 1,200—72 and 120—Rs. 3,600 if vacancies in the higher grade exist.

The Kachcheri, N. P. WIJEBARATNE,
Batticaloa, January 6, 1949. for Government Agent.

Land Development Department.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the following vacancies in the Land Development Department :—

Conductors : Salary Rs 3.48 per diem, rising by annual increments of 16 cents to Rs 4.28 per diem.

Overseers : Salary Rs 3 per diem rising by annual increments of 16 cents to Rs. 3.80 per diem.

Sub-Overseers : Salary Rs 1.80 per diem, rising by annual increments of 12 cents to Rs 2.88 per diem.

Cost of living allowance is payable on the salaries given above

2. Applicants should be physically fit and prepared to serve in any part of the Island including malarial areas.

3. Preference will be given to those who have had experience in land development work and possess ability to supervise labour.

4. Applications should contain a full statement of age, educational qualifications and practical experience. Copies only of two certificates of character should be forwarded.

5. Applications should be addressed to the Director of Land Development, Secretariat, Colombo (and not personally to the undersigned), and should reach this office not later than January 31, 1949. Any form of canvassing by or on behalf of an applicant or any attempt to influence the selection of an applicant will render that applicant liable to disqualification

IAN M. DE SILVA,
for Director of Land Development.
Land Development Office,
Colombo, January 10, 1949.

Department of Census and Statistics

Vacancy for a Translator

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Sinhalese Translator on a salary of Rs 5 per diem plus cost of living allowance for six months, and Rs 160, thereafter on the salary scale Rs 160—75—220 per mensem. The post is non-pensionable and temporary.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese and should possess at least the Intermediate in Arts Certificate with Sinhalese as a subject. Preference will be given to candidates who have good experience in translation work. A working knowledge of Pali or Sanskrit will be an additional qualification.

3. Applications with copies of testimonials must be addressed to the Director of Census and Statistics, P. O. Box 563, 16, Albert Crescent, Colombo 7, and reach this Office before 12 noon on Friday, January 28, 1949

K. WILLIAMS,
Director of Census and Statistics.
P. O. Box 563,
16, Albert Crescent,
Colombo 7, January 15, 1949.

APPLICATIONS are invited from candidates, born or permanently residing in the Kandy District, for training as Village Cultivation Officers.

2. Candidates must not be less than 18 years or more than 30 years of age and must have passed the Senior School Certificate or an equivalent or higher examination with mathematics and Sinhalese or Tamil.

3. The selected candidates will be trained centrally by the Irrigation Department and Agricultural Department and they will be paid an allowance of Rs 50 per mensem during the period of training. Living allowance is payable on this.

4. The training in the Irrigation Department will be for a period of 1 year. If this training is on Colombo, candidates should arrange for their own board and lodging, but if in an outstation, living quarters may be provided. The Agricultural training with the Department of Agriculture will be practical and spread over two cultivation seasons.

5. On the satisfactory completion of their training they will be tested and those successful will be appointed Village Cultivation Officers in the districts in which they were selected on a salary of Rs 840 per annum on the scale Rs. 840—72—Rs. 2,424, efficiency bar before Rs 1,488 and Rs. 2,064. On the completion of 5 years service and passing a further examination, the Village Cultivation Officers will be eligible for promotion as Cultivation Superintendents on the salary scale of Rs. 1,200—72 & 120—Rs. 3,600 if vacancies in the higher grade exist.

6. Applications will be received by the Government Agent, C. P., Kandy, till 1 p.m. on Wednesday, February 2, 1949.

The Kachcheri, C. R. W. DE SILVA,
Kandy, January 11, 1949. for Government Agent, C P.

Department of Industries

Vacancies for Sales Promotion Officers (Temporary)

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Director of Industries, till noon, on February 3, 1949, for two posts of Sales Promotion Officers in the Department of Industries, on the salary scale of Rs. 1,680 per annum rising to Rs. 4,860 per annum by 16 annual increments of Rs 120 and 7 of Rs. 180. Candidates with special qualifications and experience may be considered for a starting salary higher than the initial of the scale. Persons who applied in response to the previous advertisement which appeared in the *Government Gazette*, No. 9,857 of April 23, 1948, need not apply again.

2. Applicants must be not less than 25 years and not more than 40 years of age on February 3, 1949. They should—

- (i) have passed the Senior School Certificate (English) examination or an equivalent examination and have *ten years'* commercial experience including the promotion of sales; or
- (ii) be graduates of a recognized university in Economics, Commerce or Science; or
- (iii) be ex-Commissioned or ex-Warrant Officers in His Majesty's fighting forces during the last war, with five years' commercial experience including the promotion of sales. These applicants will be allowed to deduct their period of mobilized service since September 3, 1939, from their ages for the purpose of maximum age limit.

3. The posts are temporary and non-pensionable. Rent and living allowance will be payable. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be in accordance with Financial and Public Service Regulations applicable to temporary non-pensionable officers appointed to the Public Service after April 24, 1933.

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, 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,
Colombo, January 18, 1949. Acting Director of Industries.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES

Application for Appointment

1. Post applied for and reference to the advertisement : _____
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 designations 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 this type of post for which candidate applies) . _____

Date : _____

Signature : _____

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

Overseers of Allotments under the Land Development Ordinance—Land Commissioner's Department

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Overseers of Allotments of land given under the Land Development Ordinance.

2. The posts are permanent and pensionable and carry the salary scale of Rs. 660—42—Rs. 954 per annum. Cost of living and rent allowances are payable according to Regulations.

3. Applicants must be Ceylonese between the ages of 24 and 30 and should possess—

- (a) A certificate of training in one of the practical Farm Schools of the Department of Agriculture.
- (b) J. S. C Certificate in Tamil.

A working knowledge of English will be an added qualification.

4. The requirements of age will be relaxed as usual in the case of Ex-members of the Services or Civil Defence Units.

5. Applications should be in the form given below, and should be sent to the Government Agent, N. P., Jaffna, to reach on or before February 11, 1949. Those already in Government service should forward their applications through the Head of the Department in which they are serving.

6. The selected candidate will be required to pass a medical examination before appointment, and will be subject to transfer to any part of the Island.

7. The selected overseers may be required to give security in cash if required by Government.

8. Applicants who are called for interviews must be prepared to attend at their own expense.

Form of Application

1. Full name, nationality and Postal Address
2. Date of Birth (to be supported by the Birth Certificate) :
3. Educational qualifications (with dates of attainment)
4. Employment since leaving school, with dates and full particulars including present salary and salary scale :
5. Practical Farm School Training (supported by certificates) :
6. Record of service with any of the fighting forces or civil defence, allied services
7. Number of testimonials annexed :
8. Names and addresses, and occupation of two referees who can speak to applicant's conduct :

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, January 18, 1949.

P. J. HUPSON,
Government Agent, N.P.

Posts of Food Production Officers

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Food Production Officers in the Colombo District.

2. Applicants should be Diploma holders of the School of Agriculture, Peradeniya, and should have passed the J. S. C. (English) or higher examination. They should not be less than 25 years of age and should be physically fit.

3. Applications should be made in candidates' own handwriting and should contain the following information :—

- (a) Name in full and postal address,
- (b) Age with date of birth,
- (c) Educational qualifications,
- (d) Agricultural qualifications,
- (e) Proficiency in Sinhalese,
- (f) Present post, if any,
- (g) Any further claims in this connection.

4. The post is temporary and non-pensionable and is terminable at short notice. The salary scale attached to the post is Rs. 120—Rs. 10—Rs. 160 per mensem plus usual living allowance. Travelling allowance will be paid according to Government Regulations.

5. Applications with copies of two recent testimonials should be forwarded to reach this Kachcheri, before 12 noon on January 31, 1949. Applications should be addressed to the Government Agent, Western Province, and not personally to any officer.

The Kachcheri, E. G. GOONEWARDENE,
Colombo, January 17, 1949 for Government Agent, W.P.

Applications for the Post of Storekeeper, Supply Station, Dodanduwa

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Storekeeper, Supply Station, Dodanduwa. Applications should be addressed to the Deputy Food Controller, Galle, and should reach him on or before January 27, 1949.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 2.25 per day for a period of six months and thereafter the successful applicant if found satisfactory may be placed on a monthly salary scale Rs. 112—6—Rs. 160 and Rs. 7.50—Rs. 190. The appointment is temporary and non-pensionable and is liable to termination at one month's notice. The successful candidate should furnish security in cash in Rs. 2,000.

3. Applicants should have passed the Junior School Leaving Certificate Examination in English or an equivalent or higher examination. Preference will be given to applicants who have had a previous knowledge of Store Keeping.

The Kachcheri, L. DE S. GUNewardENE,
Galle, January 19, 1949. for Deputy Food Controller.

Interruption to Traffic on Main Roads, Colombo North District, Western Division

IT is hereby notified that Bridge No. 15/4 on Colombo-Puttalam Road will be subjected to a restricted speed of 4 miles an hour and to a temporary interruption to vehicular traffic between 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily to permit of repairs to the decking for a period of two months as from February 1, 1949.

Public Works Office, J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

Interruption to Traffic on Main Road, Western Division, Ratnapura District

IT is hereby notified that traffic over Bridge No. 31/2, Colombo-Avissawella-Gingathena Road, will be subjected to a restricted speed of 4 miles an hour and to temporary interruption between 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily to permit of repairs to the deck of the above bridge for a period of 2 months from February 1, 1949.

Public Works Office, J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

Interruption to Traffic on Main Road, Kalmunai District, Eastern Division

Bridge No. 50/1, Batticaloa-Panama Road

IT is hereby notified that Bridge No. 50/1, Batticaloa-Panama Road, will be closed to vehicular traffic between 6 p.m. on February 1, 1949, and 6 a.m. on February 2, 1949, for repairs to the existing temporary bridge.

Public Works Office, J. W. H. CASINADER,
Colombo, January 17, 1949. for Director of Public Works.

Auction Sale of the Hulls of Three Motor Fishing Vessels

WHEREAS the hulls of three (3) Motor Fishing Vessels salvaged by me, out of the harbour, and now lying on the North-East Island Breakwater, have not been claimed by the owner, Mr. B. J. Perera of "Mt Prosperous", Walls' Lane, Mutwal, in spite of my notification to him dated November 16, 1948, I, Donald Cecil Grenville Neish, Master Attendant, Colombo, shall, by virtue of powers vested in me under sections 12 and 13 of the Masters Attendant Ordinance, sell by public auction the said hulls of the three (3) Motor Fishing Vessels on January 26, 1949, at 10 a.m. at the Island Breakwater, Colombo Harbour.

Further particulars and/or permission to view can be had from the Storekeeper, Colombo Port Commission.

DONALD C. G. NEISH,
Commander, R.N.,
Master Attendant,
Colombo Port Commission.

Auction Sale

UNSERVICEABLE furniture, lawn mowers, part worn uniforms, &c., will be sold by auction at 9 a.m. on Thursday, February 3, 1949, at City North Excise Station Premises, 106, Reclamation Road, Pettah, Colombo.

The articles could be inspected on the day before the sale.

Colombo, January 13, 1949. T. V. SARAVANAMUTTU,
Excise Commissioner.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Notice re Re-Sale of Toddy Taverns for Non-Payment of Instalments**

NOTICE is hereby given that the privilege of selling Fermented Toddy by retail in the under-mentioned area from February 1, 1949, to September 30, 1949, will be re-sold at the risk of the original grantee, and on the original conditions by public auction at the Kachcheri at Puttalam, on Monday, January 31, 1949.

2. Further particulars as to the conditions can be obtained on application at the Puttalam Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri, C. E. H. AMERASEKERA,
Puttalam, January 18, 1949. for Assistant Government Agent.

Schedule

Tavern No.	Division	Locality or Range
5	Puttalam Pattu	Within the village of Mundel