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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c.

WEST RIDGEWAY.

To all to whom these presents shall come.

GREETING.

WHEREAS William Adolph de Lemos, of Ramboda, has, under the provisions of "The Naturalization Ordinance, 1890," applied to Us, the Right Honourable Sir West Ridgeway, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., &c., Governor of Ceylon, in Our Executive Council, that the privileges of naturalization may, in terms of the said Ordinance, be conferred on the said William Adolph de Lemos, and We, in Executive Council, acting in pursuance of the powers in Us vested by section 3 of the said Ordinance, have made an order bearing date the 6th day of November, 1896, granting such application:

And whereas the said William Adolph de Lemos has taken the oath of allegiance prescribed by section 4 of the said Ordinance, and has produced to Us a certificate of his having taken and subscribed such oath, and of the date of his taking and subscribing the same, and We are satisfied that the said William Adolph de Lemos has taken the prescribed oath within the period specified in the said section of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We do hereby grant to the said William Adolph de Lemos all the rights and privileges of a British subject, and declare that the said William Adolph de Lemos shall, within the limits of this Colony, be entitled to all political and other rights, powers and privileges, and be subject to all obligations to which a natural-born British subject is entitled or subject.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, under the Public Seal thereof, this Eighteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-six.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir J. WEST RIDGEWAY, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

WEST RIDGEWAY.

WHEREAS by section 94 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," it is amongst other things enacted that whosoever shall leave, or permit to be left, on any road to which the provision in sub-section 4 of the said section 94 shall be extended, as therein-after mentioned, any cart or other carriage without the oxen, horses, or other animals being yoked or harnessed thereto, unless such cart or carriage shall have accidentally broken down there, and in case of such accident for a longer time than may be necessary for its removal, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding five pounds :

And whereas it is further enacted by the said section that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by Proclamation, to declare that the aforesaid provision shall extend and be applicable to any road in this Colony, or to any section of such road, whenever it shall appear to the said Governor and Council that a sufficient number of halting-places has been constructed along the same :

And whereas it has been made to appear to Us, the said Governor and Council, that a sufficient number of halting-places, as set out in the schedule hereto annexed, has been constructed along the road from Kurunégala to Puttalam :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Our Proclamation declare that the hereinbefore recited provision in sub-section 4 of section 94 of the said Ordinance shall from and after the date hereof extend and be applicable to the said road from Kurunégala to Puttalam.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Thirteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-six.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

1. Karangaspitiya, between the 10th and 11th mileposts.
2. Kumburupitiya, between the 19th and 20th mileposts.
3. Nikaweratiya, between the 25th and 26th mileposts.
4. Maminiyange, between the 32nd and 33rd mileposts.
5. Anamaduwa, between the 39th and 40th mileposts.
6. Kottukachchiya, between the 44th and 45th mileposts.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

Mr. J. H. DE SARAM to be Additional District Judge, Badulla-Haldummulla, until further orders.

Mr. G. A. BAUMGARTNER to be Additional District Judge, Chilaw, for November 24 and 25, 1896.

Mr. C. EARDLEY-WILMOT to act as District Judge, Kandy, in addition to his own duties as Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kandy, from November 24 to 26, 1896, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. J. H. DE SARAM from the station.

Mr. R. W. BYRDE to be Extra Assistant at Batticaloa to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, until further orders.

Mr. A. E. WILLIAMS to be an Official Member of the Local Board, Ratnapura, in place of Mr. J. MACDONNELL, who has left the district.

Mr. A. E. WEINMAN to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Chilaw *vice* Mr. S. HALLOCK, who has left the station.

Mr. BENJAMIN WALTER RALAPANAWA, President, Village Tribunal, Wannī hatpattu, to be an Inquirer into Sudden Deaths for the Judicial Division of Kurunégala.

Mr. ABEYAKOON BANDÁ GALAGODA, President, Village Tribunal, Katugampola hatpattu, to be an Inquirer into Sudden Deaths for the Judicial Division of Kurunégala.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 20, 1896.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Mr. A. MURRAY, Acting Provincial Engineer, Central Province, to be a Councillor of the Municipal Council of Kandy in the place of Mr. R. D. ORMSBY.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 19, 1896.

HEADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Mr. A. E. WACKRILL on behalf of the Acting Surveyor-General.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 20, 1896.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. T. S. CLARK'S resignation of his Commission as a Lieutenant of the Ceylon Corps of Volunteers has been accepted by His Excellency the Governor.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 13, 1896.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors of the town of Pussellāwa for 1897:—

S. M. NONIS.
L. B. PANABOKKE.
U. JAYASUNDERA.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 19, 1896.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in pursuance of the powers in him vested by section 372 of "The Civil Procedure Code, 1889," hereby specially appoints Mr. A. S. ARULAMPALAM to be a person to administer the oath or affirmation which is requisite to the making of the affidavit mentioned in section 371 of the said Code, for the District of Jaffna.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 19, 1896.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given, as required by the provisions of the 19th clause of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1877, that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Governor that VISVANATHAR KANAKASAPAI, Notary Public of the District of Jaffna, has been guilty of gross misconduct in the discharge of his duties, His Excellency, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in terms of the 18th clause of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1877, cancelled the warrant of the said notary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 16, 1896.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, as required by the provisions of the 19th clause of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1877, that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Governor that MURUKAR KANTAPPAR, Notary Public of Pulo, in the District of Jaffna, has been guilty of gross misconduct in the discharge of his duties, His Excellency, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in terms of the 18th clause of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1877, cancelled the warrant of the said notary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 16, 1896.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Mátara has, with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in terms of section 27 of "The Local Board of Health and Improvement Ordinance of 1876," made and assessed for the year 1897, over and above the sum necessary for the maintenance of the police for the said town, a rate of two and one-half per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the said town of Mátara, subject to the provisos of the aforesaid section.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 12, 1896.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health of the town of Kurunégala has, with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in terms of section 27 of "The Local Board of Health and Improvement Ordinance, 1876," made and assessed for the year 1897, over and above the sum necessary for the maintenance of the police for the said town, a rate of two per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the said town of Kurunégala, subject to the provisos of the aforesaid section.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 13, 1896.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health of the town of Náwalapitiya has, with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in terms of section 27 of "The Local Board of Health and Improvement Ordinance, 1876," made and assessed for the year 1897, over and above the sum necessary for the maintenance of the police for the said town, a rate of two per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the said town of Náwalapitiya, subject to the provisos of the aforesaid section.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 18, 1896.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SEASON REPORT FOR OCTOBER, 1896.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

KURUNÉGALA DISTRICT.

- Dewamedí Hatpattu.—The young paddy crops show fair prospects. Crops on high lands are also good.
- Dambadeni Hatpattu.—Paddy crop of fields already cultivated is in a flourishing state. Ploughing and sowing still continue. Only a small extent of chena lands has been cultivated.
- Katugampola Hatpattu.—The young maha paddy crop is thriving. Chena lands are being sown.
- Wanni Hatpattu.—Ploughing has just commenced in some parts. Only about 50 amunams of chena lands have been cultivated.
- Weudawili Hatpattu.—The young paddy crops are thriving. No chenas have been sown during the month.
- Hiriyala Hatpattu.—The yala crop has been reaped and harvested. The maha crops are fair, chena lands are being sown.
- Health of people in general has been good, except in Dambadeni hatpattu, where a few cases of measles and chickenpox are reported.
- Health of cattle has also been good, except in Katugampola, Medapattu, and Meddeketiya korales in Katugampola hatpattu, and in Dambadeni Udukaha korale west, where murrain still prevails but is now decreasing.
- Weather: wet.

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6	4 of 1875	3 of 1876
7	4 of 1876	4 of 1877
8	5 of 1877	8 of 1877
9	9 of 1877	23 of 1877
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J. J. THORBURN,
Acting Government Recordkeeper.

June, 1896.

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G. J. A. SKEEN,
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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October, 1896.

THE Colonial Store will be closed for issues from December 15, 1896, to January 5, 1897, inclusive.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Store, Colonial Storekeeper.
Colombo, November 6, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Congregation of All Saints' Church, Galle, will be held in the schoolroom on Monday, December 14, 1896, at 6.30 P.M., for the purpose of electing Trustees for the year 1897, and for the transaction of such other business as may arise.

By order of the Trustees,

D. C. F. OBEYESEKERE,
Honorary Secretary.

Galle, November 11, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Subscribers to the funds of St. John the Baptist's Church, Kegalla, will be held at the said Church on Wednesday, December 9, 1896, for the purpose of electing three new Trustees for the year 1897, in accordance with paragraph 10 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846.

G. LIESCHING, Incumbent,
St John the Baptist's Church, Kegalla.

Kegalla, November 10, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the 7th clause of Ordinance No. 5 of 1864, a Meeting of the Congregation of Christ Church, Kurunegala, will be held in the vestry on Monday, December 7, 1896, at 6 P.M., for the purpose of electing Trustees for the ensuing year.

W. J. P. WALTHAM.

Kurunegala, November 16, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. A. E. Becket for the conversion of his boys' and girls' vernacular schools at Matale as a mixed school.

Observations will be received not later than November 25, 1896.

J. B. CULL,

Director.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, November 10, 1896.

Monitors' Examination, 1896.—List of Successful Candidates in order of merit.

THIRD YEAR.

Index No.	Order of Merit.	Name.	School.	Marks.
			Full Marks	800
6	1	D. Sedris Amarasingha ...	Udugampola	598
4	2	T. Appu Sinno ...	do.	592
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105	8	Suwaneris Perera	Radawana	536
87	9	Don Carolis	Doranegoda	530
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51	12	Don Carolis	Kosgoda	507
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SECOND YEAR.

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			Full Marks	650
137	1	H. D. Gunasekara	Morontuduwa (Mawala)	520
124	2	A. P. Perera	Alubomulla	517
117	3	Don Charles	Matugama	514
72	4	D. C. Gunasekara	Motagedara	505
80	5	E. A. Dingiri Banda	Hettimulla	499
114	6	D. W. Goonatilake	Wadduwa	489
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141	12	S. Ratnayaka	Paranagama	476
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22	21	M. U. Banda	Madawala Ulpota	445
129	22	P. D. James	Nildandahena	440
99	23	Elaris Perera	Kimbulapitiya	438
66		P. W. Dingiri Banda	Madipola	
74	25	K. Punchi Banda	Walagama	436
123	26	B. Ukku Banda	Nilagama	432
17	27	Mudiyanse	Kadugannawa Vernacular Boys'	430
62	28	T. Punchirala	Petiyagoda	429
103		H. Don Marthelis Sinno	Kumburugamuwa	
71	30	N. P. Punchirala	Kotmale (Wataddora)	427
88	31	Don Bempi	Doranagoda	425
125	32	Don Manuel	Alubomulla	424
43	33	Don Gregoris	Ganemulla	414
29		K. C. M. P. Banda	Hadeniya	
83		R. W. Ukku Banda	Gunnepana	
49	36	P. Dingiri Banda	Tulpegoda	410
—		R. Banda	Mahadagamawa	
31	38	L. B. Udalagama	Madawalatenna	408
113	39	Gunis Silva	Wadduwa	406
92	40	Gomis Sinno	Udupila	405
48	41	R. M. Mudiyanse	Puwakpitiya	402
85	42	Fredrick de Abrew	Galwehera	401
—	43	W. H. Poulis Sinno	Molagoda	399

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134	47	K. Prolis Perera	Morontuduwa (Nawala)	397
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Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, November 16, 1896.

J. B. CULL,
Director of Public Instruction.

Return of Immigrants and Emigrants at the Port of Colombo during the Week ended November 18, 1896.

	Men.	Women.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
Immigrants (coolies)	729	166	122	39	1,056
Emigrants (all classes)	1,701	318	79	26	2,123

J. DONNAN,
Master Attendant.

Abstract of Cooly Labourers on Estates in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended June 30, 1896.

District.	Number of Estates.	Number of Immigrants.	Number of Births.	Number of Deaths.
<i>Western Province.</i>				
Kalutara	41	6,332	13	36
<i>North-Western Province.</i>				
Kurunegala	66	2,555	6	14
<i>Southern Province.</i>				
Galle and Matara	24	2,789	21	20
<i>Central Province.</i>				
Kandy	473	96,730	638	612
Matale	79	12,809	61	69
Nuwara Eliya	242	66,933	179	378
<i>Province of Uva.</i>				
Badulla	84	15,362	104	65
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>				
Ratnapura	42	5,668	53	32
Kegalla	100	27,047	163	221

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Supply of Furniture during 1897, to the Colonial Store," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, December 5, 1896 :—

- Almirahs, with pigeon-holes, 7½ ft. × 5 ft. × 1½ ft.
- Rice pounders
- Rice mortars
- Medicine shelf, portable, 5 ft. × 5 ft. × 1 ft.
- Label cases
- Ticket almirah
- Ladder step, 12 ft. long

Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Colonial Storekeeper and the duplicate to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 20.

A deposit, as noted above, will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline

to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form of tender as his authority for making the issue.

No tender will be considered unless it is on such printed forms—to be obtained at the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper—and unless accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Tenderers must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which tenders will be considered.

The amount of security to be given, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained on application

at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office, where catalogue of articles required and dimensions thereof can be inspected.

The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10-50 to the Attorney-General for approving each bond.

The security bond should be furnished before October 31, 1896.

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

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

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

Colonial Store,
Colombo, November 10, 1896.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for provisioning Hospitals," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, November 23, 1896, from persons willing to contract for supplies for the use of the under-mentioned Government Civil Hospital commencing from January 1, 1897, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender to December 31, 1897 :—

Security	
in Cash.	
Rs.	
... 150	

Civil Hospital, Balapitimodara

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, or to the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

4. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 75; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue. In stations where there are no kachcheries the deposit must be made to the Medical Officer in charge of the Hospital.

5. Provisions should be of the best quality, approvable by the Medical Officer of the hospital.

6. When required, samples must be deposited.

7. The successful tenderer will be required to give cash security as noted above, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of the tender. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the cash security. It is left to the option of the successful tenderer to substitute at any time thereafter for cash deposited by him approved title deeds, and to enter into a fresh security bond at his expense.

8. In case any person makes any alteration in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials; otherwise the tender will be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

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

W. R. KYNSEY,
Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, November 10, 1896.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender to fell, square, and remove timber," will be received by me at this office at 2 P.M. on Thursday, December 10 next, from persons willing to contract for felling, squaring, and carting the under-mentioned timber, viz :—

52 palai and 10 satin trees to be felled in the Kokkav^hi forest and removed to Elephant Pass, and 239 palai and 2 satin trees to be felled at Pulikadantavelluvar and to be removed to Elephant Pass.

2. The lengths of those logs will be from 12 to 25 ft. and the girth from 5 ft. 6 in. to 9 ft.

3. Tenderers should state at what rate they will undertake to fell and square per log or per cubic foot, and they may tender for the whole work or for each item separately.

4. The tenders are to be made in duplicate, the original being forwarded direct to me and the duplicate direct to the Auditor-General, both to be forwarded at the same time.

5. The tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at this office, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract after he has tendered, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown.

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

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
for Government Agent.

Jaffna Kachcheri,
November 10, 1896.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) will be received, the original by myself direct in Colonial Store and the duplicate by the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being forwarded at the same time, up to noon on Monday, December 14, 1896, from persons willing to contract for making and supplying the under-mentioned jailors' uniforms, &c., for 1897 :—

For supplying to measurements and to patterns :—

	Probable No. of Suits required.
Blue serge coats and trousers ...	20
White drill coats and trousers ...	120
Khaki coats and trousers ...	622

All the above should be delivered in such quantities as may be required from time to time.

2. Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 50.

3. A deposit, as noted above, will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

4. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form of tender as his authority for making the issue.

5. No tender will be considered unless it is on such printed forms—to be obtained at the office of the Colonial Storekeeper—and unless accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be

given, engaging to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract.

6. Persons who tender must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which the tenders are considered, of which due notice will be given. No tender will be considered if the sample is not so deposited.

7. The amount of security to be given, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office.

8. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderer's own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be

affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.50 to the Attorney-General for approving each bond.

9. The security bond should be furnished immediately on acceptance of tender being notified.

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

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

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Store, Colonial Storekeeper.
Colombo, November 17, 1896.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE under-mentioned found and unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction at the Railway Terminus, Maradana, at 12 noon on Monday, December 14, 1896:—

1 lot baskets
1 lot mat bags
1 lot gunny bags
1 lot sandals and old shoes
1 package talipot
1 bundle reeds
1 folding chair
1 lot tins
1 package tins
1 bag rice and 1 bag sundries
1 empty tiffin basket, and 1 lot plates, &c.
1 case containing a stuffed squirrel
1 case containing cartridges, pulleys, &c.
1 lot shawls and 3 pillows
1 lot coats, &c.
1 lot clothes
1 lot clothes
1 lot clothes
1 lot handkerchiefs, large and small
1 lot towels, &c.
10 umbrellas
10 umbrellas
10 umbrellas
10 umbrellas
10 umbrellas (paper)
15 umbrellas
10 walking-sticks
10 walking-sticks
10 walking-sticks
2 baskets cotton
1 bundle sticks
7 caps
9 hats
6 hats
1 raincoat
1 homespun woollen coat
1 woollen coat
2 shawls
1 travelling flask, 1 phial smelling salts, and 1 phial lemon juice
talipot shades and 1 rope

1 grinding stone, 3 mortars, 5 pestles, and 1 mamoty
1 ekel broom and a bird cage
1 hurricane lamp, 1 table lamp, 1 lantern and a wick-holder
5 toy buckets and 4 toy spades
1 bottle oil, 2 bottles castor oil, and 2 bottles medicine
1 canvas hand bag containing a banian
1 bag cadjunuts and 2 chatties
1 German silver butter knife and 1 foot-rule
7 pipes and 1 tobacco pouch
1 basket containing 4 bottles, 1 measure, 1 brass vessel, and 1 tennis ball
1 belt, 1 comb, and 1 bundle papers
2 syringes, 1 toy, and 1 comb
2 silk handkerchiefs
1 pair spectacles in case and 1 packet match boxes
1 comforter, 1 waxed cloth, and 1 inkstand
1 pair gloves and 1 leg baby sock
1 black satin tie, 1 lady's fan, and 1 packet containing a cubit velvet cloth, silk thread, 1 slipper pattern, and 1 powder puff in silken case
1 packet Sinhalese books and 1 packet catalogues
1 leather portmanteau containing photographic apparatus
1 empty Gladstone bag
1 box soap (2 pieces) and 2 spirit levels
1 winnow and some luggage straps
2 balls fibre
1 bucket
1 silver brooch, 1 monogram pin, and 1 silver hairpin
1 pencil case and 1 silver ring
2 packets tea and 1 mat bag containing tea
2 fans and 1 bunch keys, 1 silver earpick, 1 purse and 1 pocket book
1 bundle empty coir bags
3 penknives, 1 razor, and 1 parcel containing brass rings
2 flowers pots, and 1 hamper
1 iron bar and 1 piece indianrubber
1 mat bag, containing cement and a door rug
1 bag arecanut-cutters

W. T. PEARCE,
General Manager.
General Manager's Office,
Colombo, November 17, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unclaimed articles lying in the Police Court of Badulla will be sold by public auction on December 5, 1896, at the court premises :—

1 piece of iron and a club
 About 1½ measure of cherry coffee
 2 sacks of green coffee (about ½ bushel)
 1 sack of green coffee (about 6 measures)
 1 brass chembu and a kettle lid
 1 katty
 2 pieces of cloth and a stick
 A gunny bag and 2½ measures of rice (spoiled)
 1 axe
 1 glass pane, 1 axe, 1 mat, 2 plates, and 2 cups
 A quantity of chillies
 1 brass chembu, 1 arecanut cutter
 1 cloth

1 mamoty, 1 white coat
 About 2½ measures of coffee
 About 3 measures of green coffee
 1 iron bar and a piece of cloth
 About ¾ bushel of green coffee (spoiled)
 1 kitchen knife
 1 broken padlock
 1 arecanut cutter, 1 chunam box, 1 chisel, 1 bag,
 and a piece of wood
 1 katty and a rope
 1 banian, 2 coats, 3 passbooks, and a sarong
 1 iron stick
 1 katty, 1 sarong, 1 banian
 1 small axe

J. G. FRASER,
 Police Magistrate.

Police Court, Badulla,
 November 11, 1896.