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## APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

Mr. B. O. DIAS to be Additional District Judge, Kalutara, on July 26, 1897.

Mr. J. REITH to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Matale and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Matale.

Mr. F. A. MAERTENS to be a Justice of the Peace for the Northern Province.

Mr. R. S. TEMPLETON, Superintendent of Surveys, North-Central Province, to be a Member of the Board of Health, North-Central Province, vice Mr. HAMPTON, who has left the Province.

FREDERICK HUXHAM CRAMER HEYZER to be an Inspector of Coaches plying on the road

between Ratnapura and Balangoda, \*\* provisions of Ordinance No. 17 of 1873.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 15, 1897.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JOSEPH GRENIER to be Commissioner of Assize, under section 24 of "The Courts Ordinance," No. 1 of 1889; for the purpose of holding the ensuing Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court for the Northern Circuit.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 16, 1897.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace for the Judicial District of Tangalla and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial District of Tangalla:—

Mr. E. ELLIOTT.  
GIRIGORIS DE SILVA CANDAMBY, Mudaliyar of West Giruwa pattu.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 12, 1897.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Dr. J. L. VANDERSTRAATEN to be a Councillor of the Municipal Council of Colombo in the place of Sir W. R. KYNSEY, KT., C.M.G., who has left the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 12, 1897.

HEADS of Departments are authorized to accept the signature of Mr. T. TWYNAM on drafts issued from the Galle Kachcheri on

July 19, 1897, and following days, during the absence of Mr. T. R. E. LOFTUS from the station.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 13, 1897.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 1 (1) of Ordinance No. 15 of 1896, to appoint Mr. F. O. PERIES, Inspector of Police, to be an Inquirer under the said Ordinance for the whole of the North-Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 12, 1897.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be Assessors for the town of Anuradhapura for the ensuing year, under the provisions of subsection 2 of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

L. B. BULANKULAM, Ratemahatmaya.  
D. GODAGE, Kachcheri Mudaliyar.  
S. K. M. MOHIDEEN PITCHE.  
C. A. VELUPPILLAI.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 8, 1897.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has directed it to be notified for general information that permission has been granted to the Hon. Sir WILLIAM RAYMOND KYNSEY, KT., C.M.G., Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, to retire on a pension on the termination of his leave of absence on the 9th of September.

The Governor cannot allow Sir William Kynsey to retire from the Public Service of Ceylon without placing on record His Excellency's appreciation of the high character and of the great value of the work done by him for the Government and for the community.

For twenty-two years Sir William Kynsey has zealously and successfully devoted himself to the administration and to the useful development of the Medical Department, which has attained a high standard of efficiency and economy in the relief and in the prevention of much human suffering, and has thus contributed to the welfare and prosperity of the Island.

This Officer's services have been recognized by repeated distinctions conferred on him by his Sovereign, and the Governor has noted with satisfaction the tributes which have been paid in different ways to his worth by those with and over whom he has served, and to which His Excellency desires to add an unqualified expression of his own entire concurrence.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

IN terms of section 3 of the Minute of January 16, 1895, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of his temporary employment for pension purposes:—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. H. Bawa	Deputy Assistant Colonial Surgeon, Medical Aid.	Immigration Department.

By His Excellency the Governor's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 13, 1897.

## APPOINTMENTS OF REGISTRARS, &amp; C.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Dr. W. E. RUDD, M.R.C.S., to be Registrar of Deaths of the town of Puttalam, with effect from August 5, 1897, *vice* Mr. J. DE ROSAIRO transferred. His office will be at the Puttalam Hospital.

Mr. F. H. GOMES to be Deputy Registrar of Deaths of the town of Kegalla, with effect from July 15, 1897. His office will be at the Kegalla Hospital.

Mr. Disanayaka Ratnayaka Mudiyanse TISAHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Kandyan Marriages of Oyapalata, and as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Wiyaluwa Division, in the District of Badulla, for fifteen days from July 8, 1897, during the absence of the Registrar, Disanayaka Ratnayaka Mudiyansele APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Ehalayagekatuwewatta in Migahakiwula.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

**M**ORAPITIYAGE MUDALIHAMU has been appointed by the Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, under section 7 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kolonnagampattu of Kolonna Korale Division, in the Ratnapura District, for fourteen days from July 1, 1897, *vice* Omatte Tillekeratna Mudiyanseeralahamillage PUNCHI BANDA. His office will be held at Maduwawala.

MUHANDIRAMRALLAGE MUDIYANSE. Korala, has been appointed by the Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, under section 7 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walgam Pattuwa Division, in the District of Kegalla, for fourteen days from July 1, 1897, *vice* Katupitiye Herat Mudiyansele LOKU BANDA. His office will be at Konaramudiyansele-gawatta in Taldewa.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Acting Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

**I**T is hereby notified that the office of the Registrar of Deaths and of the Deputy Registrar of Deaths of the town of Negombo will, with effect from July 1, 1897, be at the Civil Hospital, Negombo, and not at the Jail Hospital, Negombo, as notified in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st instant.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Acting Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

**I**T is hereby notified that the office of JAMES ABRAHAM SINGAPPULI, Registrar of Marriages of Magam pattu, in the District of Hambantota, will, with effect from July 1, 1897, be at Anukkamewatta in Tihawa, and not at Palugahawatta in Yodakandiya as notified in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st instant.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Acting Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

**I**T is hereby notified that the office of J. S. P. ABEYASEKERA, Registrar of Marriages of Wellaboda pattu, in the District of Matara, will, with effect from July 1, 1897, be at Kajugahawatta in Dewundara, and not at Ihalawatta in Dewundara as notified in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st instant.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Acting Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

**I**T is hereby notified that the office of JOHN ALEXANDER PERERA JAYAWARDANA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambatalenpahala East Division and Registrar of Marriages of Ambatalenpahala, in the District of Colombo, will, with effect from the 1st instant, be held at Muttettuwwawatta in Mahabutgomuwa, and not at Kahatagahawatta in Wennawatta as notified in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st instant.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Acting Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1897.

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3	2 of 1891	8 of 1892	...	0 95
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J. J. THORBURN,  
Acting Government Recordkeeper.

February, 1897.

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

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G. J. A. SKEEN,  
Government Printer.

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The Annual Volumes for 1887 to 1890 are out of print and cannot now be supplied.

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The Bulletin is also sold by John Menzies & Co., of Edinburgh and Glasgow, and Hodges, Figgis & Co., Limited, of Dublin.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October, 1896.

#### Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Coolies during the Month of June, 1897.

Ports.	Arrivals.	Departures.	For Six Months.	
			Arrivals.	Departures.
<i>Colombo.</i>				
Men ...	12,362	11,268	42,975	33,775
Women ...	3,487	3,777	11,597	10,450
Children ...	2,770	3,044	9,355	8,268
<i>Negombo.</i>				
Men ...	—	—	203	197
Women ...	—	—	26	25
Children ...	—	—	2	13
<i>Pesalai.</i>				
Men ...	3,578	917	9,820	2,263
Women ...	1,172	158	2,873	466
Children ...	356	37	823	123
<i>Vankalai.</i>				
Men ...	—	—	1,448	2,269
Women ...	—	—	404	509
Children ...	—	—	112	155
	23,725	19,201	79,638	58,513

LIONEL F. LEE,  
Principal Collector.

Customs, Colombo,  
July 15, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that applications have been received for grants in aid of the under-mentioned schools: Observations will be received not later than July 31, 1897.

Name of School.	Class.	Province.	Management.	Name of Manager.
Totlavelly Mixed ...	Vernacular ...	Northern ...	Roman Catholic ...	Rev. J. Collin
Karukupaney Mixed T.	Do. ...	North-Western	do.	Rev. D. Wilkinson
Rambukkana Girls' ...	Do. ...	Sabaragamuwa	Buddhist	Mr. W. Dullewa

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, July 12, 1897.

J. B. CULL,  
Director.

### Return of Immigrants and Emigrants at the Port of Colombo during the Week ended July 14, 1897.

	Men.	Women.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
Immigrants (coolies) ...	1,450 ...	487 ...	380 ...	156 ...	2,473
Emigrants (all classes) ...	1,431 ...	291 ...	51 ...	24 ...	1,797

J. DONNAN,  
Master Attendant.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for———," will be received up to noon on Monday, August 16, 1897, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned prisons and supplies for the use of jails for one year commencing from January 1, 1898.

*Nature of Service.*—For victualling the following prisons:—

Western Province.—The Convict Establishment Jails (comprising Welikada, Mahara, Mutwal, and Borella Convict hospital), Negombo, and Avisawella.

Central Province.—Kandy (Bogambara and Kandy Old jail) and Nuwara Eliya.

Northern Province.—Jaffna.

Southern Province.—Galle, Matara, Tangalla, and Hambantota.

Eastern Province.—Batticaloa and Trincomalee.

North-Western Province.—Kurunegala, Puttalam, and Chilaw.

North-Central Province.—Anuradhapura.

Province of Uva.—Badulla.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.—Ratnapura and Kegalla.

2. The tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons 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 at the offices of the above-named jails and the Inspector-General of Prisons, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

4. The under-mentioned deposits, which must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, will be required before any form of tender is issued:—

A deposit of Rs. 1,000 for the Convict Establishment, comprising Welikada, Mahara, Mutwal, and Borella Convict hospital; and Rs. 200 for the Kandy jails comprising Bogambara and Kandy Old jail.

A deposit of Rs. 100 for each of the following jails:—  
Negombo and Jaffna.

A deposit of Rs. 50 for each of the following jails:—  
Avisawella, Nuwara Eliya, Galle, Matara, Tangalla, Chilaw, Batticaloa, Kurunegala, Anuradhapura, Badulla, Ratnapura, and Kegalla.

A deposit of Rs. 25 for each of the following jails:—  
Hambantota, Trincomalee, and Puttalam.

And should any person fail (within a fortnight after he has been written to or notified to the address given by him of the acceptance of his tender), or 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.

5. When required samples must be deposited. Sufficient securities will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

6. The amount of the bond and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices specified.

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.

8. Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having the security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers.

9. When bonds have been drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

10. Every alteration should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

11. Every tenderer should write his address on his tender, giving the name of the street and the number of the house he lives in.

L. F. KNOLLYS,

Acting Inspector-General of Prisons.

Prisons Office,  
Colombo, July 12, 1897.

**SEALED** Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Sundries, Colonial Store," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 10, 1897, from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from August 1 to December 31, 1897:—

Baskets, Madampe, 16 in. dia. top, 4 in. dia. bottom, 8 in. deep, of whole cane	... each
Buckets, coal, strong, of full size	.. do.
Buffalo hide, large	... per lb.
Cotton, loose, clean and picked	... do.
Cotton twisted line	... do.
Gunny bags, new	... each
Halpan mats, hospital, 6½ by 2½ ft.	... do.
Handkerchiefs, coloured	... do.
Lamp wicks	... per yard
Plumbago, lamp	... per cwt.
Do. dust	... do.
Twine, Bengal	... per lb.
Woodoil	... per gallon
Tallow, country	... per lb.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 25.

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.

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.

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

The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses 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.

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

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.

Colonial Store, J. ROOPE,  
Colombo, July 13, 1897. Colonial Storekeeper.

## SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Katugastota, on Tuesday, August 10, 1897, at 1 P.M. :—

1 adze	2 metal sieves
5 augers of sorts	195 pickaxes
4 axes, felling	2 powder canisters, tin
3 barrels, tar, empty	2 porowas
8 billhooks and coytas	20 rakes
2 bits for braces	7 rammers, wooden
1 bushel measure, 10 cub. ft. wooden	11 rammers, copper
8 buckets, water, wooden	2 rules, 2 ft.
18 cans, tin	1 saw, hand
4 chisels of sorts	1 shovel
5 drums, iron	1 smith's tool
4 files of sorts	2 tongs, smiths'
2 grass-cut knives	5 tubs, water
80 hammers, hand	2 trowels, masons'
5 hammers, sledge, iron	1 tappal box
15 hammers, sledge, steel	2 tapes, measuring 50 ft.
26 hammers, miners'	1 bow, ink point
1 lantern, hurricane	1 bow, pencil point
310 mamoties	1 drawing pen
4 mallets, wooden	4 hand carts, iron
	1 road roller

A. CLEMENTI SMITH,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, July 9, 1897.

Works Department will be sold by public auction at Batalagoda on Tuesday, August 31, 1897, at 8 A.M. :—

1 auger	4 hammers, half sledge
1 axe, broad	6 hammers, miners'
1 coyta	3 hammers, hand
9 buckets, water, galvanized	700 mamoties
1 file, flat	210 pickaxes
1 file, rubber, large	1 square, iron, figured
2 files, triangular	5 tongs, smiths'
6 hammers, sledge, steel	7 trowels, masons'
	7 tapes, measuring

A. CLEMENTI SMITH,  
for Director of Public Works.  
Public Works Department,  
Colombo, July 12, 1897.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the under-mentioned unclaimed articles will be put up for sale by public auction on Wednesday, the 28th instant, at 2 P.M. at the Fiscal's Office, Puttalam :—

3 brass lamps
1 brass pot (small)
1 brass betel tray

Deputy Fiscal's Office, E. T. NOYES,  
Puttalam, July 5, 1897. Deputy Fiscal.

இதன் பின்னால் காணப்படும் உரித்தாளரில்லாத சாமான்கள் புத்தளம் பிளாகால் கந்தோரில்வைத்து இம்மாதம் உயர் தேதி புதன் கிழமை பின்னேரம் உ. மணிக் கு பிரசித்த வலத்தில் விற்கப்படும் :—

புத்தளை விளக்கு...	...	ஈ
சிறு புத்தளை செம்பு	...	க
புத்தளை வெத்திலை வட்டா	...	க

ஈ. டி. நொயீஸ்,

டிப்யூட்டி பிளாகால்,

புத்தளம் டிப்யூட்டி பிளாகால் கந்தோர்,

கடிகளம் ஆடி 5-ம் நாள்.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the Public