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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

Mr. J. KOERTZ to act temporarily as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Negombo, and while so acting to be Superintendent of the Negombo Prison and Chairman of the District Road Committee and of the Local Board of Negombo, with effect from the 5th March, 1900.

Mr. W. F. H. DE SARAM to act as Additional District Judge, and Commissioner of Requests, Kalutara, in addition to his own duties, from the 8th to 25th March, 1900, or until further orders.

Mr. ALLAN BEVEN to act temporarily as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, with effect from the 26th March, 1900.

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Mr. J. P. LEWIS to be Additional District Judge Matara, from the 5th to 7th March, 1900, in addition to his own duties as Special Officer, Matara.

Mr. S. HAUGHTON to be Additional District Judge, Kegalla, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. W. A. G. HOOD, Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, to be Additional District Judge, Mullaitivu, from the 7th to 31st March, 1900.

Mr. JOHN HARRIS to be a Pilot for the Port of Colombo under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1899.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 9, 1900.

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UNDER the provisions of the Minute of 29th December, 1897, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from the 19th February, 1900:—

To officiate in the Third Class.

Mr. C. S. VAUGHAN.
Mr. C. R. CUMBERLAND.

To officiate in the Fourth Class.

Mr. W. H. B. CARBERY.
Mr. E. B. ALEXANDER.

To officiate in the Fifth Class.

Mr. R. W. ALLAGACON.
Mr. H. J. WOUTERSZ.
Mr. W. DE LIVERA.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 6, 1900.

WITH reference to the notice regarding Mr. J. S. DE SARAM published in the *Government Gazette* No. 5,625 of 16th June, 1899, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to confirm Mr. J. S. DE SARAM in the appointment of Superintendent of Police, Central Province.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 6, 1900.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. A. E. CALDICOTT, District Engineer, has been nominated as Official Member of the Local Board of Matara in place of Mr. A. CLEMENTI SMITH.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 7, 1900.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. S. W. DASSA-NAYAKA, District Engineer of Ambanpitiya, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Kegalla in place of Mr. A. E. CALDICOTT, who has left the district.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1900.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Members of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province, for 1900:—

Mr. J. W. VINER.
Mr. C. P. MARKUS.
Mr. F. H. MODDER.
Mr. W. JARDINE.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, March 8, 1900.

IT is hereby notified that the Notification dated 27th February, 1900, appearing in the *Gazette* of 2nd March, 1900, appointing Mr. H. O. FOX to the office of District Judge, &c., Kalutara; Mr. WALTER DE LIVERA to act in the office of District Judge, &c., Tangalla; and Mr. P. E. PIERIS to the office of Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Chilaw and Marawila, is hereby cancelled.

By H. E. the Governor's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, March 6, 1900.

IT is hereby notified that the Notification dated 1st March, 1900, appearing in the *Gazette* of 2nd March, 1900, appointing Mr. ALLAN BEVEN to act temporarily as District Judge, &c., Ratnapura, is hereby cancelled.

By H. E. the Governor's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, March 6, 1900.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

DON THEADORIS SENARAT DAHANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godapitiya division, and as Registrar of Marriages of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four weeks and four days from the 10th instant, during the absence of the Registrar, JAMES DE SILVA SEPALA DASSANAYAKA, on leave. His office to be at Udawatta in Godapitiya.

DON DE ALLIS SENEVIRATNA EPA to act as Registrar of Marriages of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two weeks and two days from the 6th March, 1900, during the absence of the Registrar, H. D. S. WIJAYARATNA, on

leave. His office to be at the Police Officer's house in Weihena.

Dr. RAMANATAR CATHIRESAR SEENICUTTY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar town, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for two weeks from the 21st February, 1900, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. R. H. PHILIPS, on leave. His office to be at the Civil Hospital, Mannar.

VELUPPILLAI PONNIAH to act as Registrar of Marriages of Trincomalee town (including Sober Island), in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for eight days from the 15th February, 1900, during the absence of the Registrar, A. TAMOTARAMPILLAI, on leave. His office to be at his residence, No. 81, in Division No. 1, Trincomalee.

VELUPPILLAI PONNIAH to be Registrar of Marriages of Trincomalee town (including Sober Island), in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, with effect from the 23rd February, 1900, *vice* A. TAMOTARAMPILLAI, deceased. His office to be at his residence, No. 81, in Division No. 1, Trincomalee.

By His Excellency's command,
E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1900.

THE following appointments under the provisos to section 7 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895 and of section 7 of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1895 is hereby notified :—

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed CHARLES GUNARATNA KANDAMBI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahawatta lower division, and as Registrar of Marriages of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for five days from the 24th February, 1900, during the absence of the Registrar, JAMES HENRY KANDAMBI, on leave. His office will be at Ingingahena in Angulmaduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed D. D. S. EKENAYAKA to act as Registrar of

Births and Deaths of Tihagoda division, and as Registrar of Marriages of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for seven days from the 23rd February, 1900, during the absence of the Registrar, DON SIMON WIMALA GUNASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Paluwatta in Pahalavitiyala.

The Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed Dr. V. C. J. VANDERSTRAATEN to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Galle Municipality division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three days from the 5th March, 1900, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. J. B. PRINS, on leave. His office will be at No. 235, Jail road, Kaluwella.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1900.

IT is hereby notified that EDWIN FRANCIS MAPITIGAMA KULATUNGA WIJEKON MUDIYANSE, Ratemahatmaya, Registrar of General Marriages of Galboda and Kinigoda korales division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will, with effect from the 1st March, 1900, hold his office at Hunugalewatta in Andiramada and not at Hettigewatta in Gondiwela, as notified in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of 1st July last.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 5, 1900.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IN accordance with articles (c) and (d) of the amended Government Minute dated December 7, 1894, it is hereby notified that the rate of exchange which ruled on the 28th February, 1900, was—

1s. 4 $\frac{2}{3}$ d.

Audit Office,
Combo, March 8, 1900.

W. T. TAYLOR,
Auditor-General.

IT is hereby notified for general information that special licenses, under the provisions of rule 10 made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 4 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1896, have been granted to the under-mentioned gentlemen for the purpose of issuing certificates to any persons having control of any boiler or boilers used in any factory :—

Mr. JOHN E. ADDYMAN.

Mr. STEPHEN WELLINGTON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1900.

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

IN terms of section 3 of the Minute of 28th November, 1895, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officers, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of their temporary employment for pension purposes :—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. W. E. Davidson	... Officer of the 3rd Class of the Civil Service	... Paris Exhibition, 1900.
Mr. Charles Stouter	... Head Clerk, Anuradhapura Kacheri	... Paris Exhibition, 1900.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 5, 1900.

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

WITH reference to the regulations dated the 19th November, 1898, made by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 3 of 1897, and published in the *Gazette* of the 25th November, 1898, it is hereby declared that the ports of Kobe, Hiogo, and Osaka are infected ports.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1900.

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

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the regulations of 26th August, 1891, for gentlemen in the Civil Service, will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, April 23, 1900, at 11 o'clock A.M., and following days, namely:—

Monday, April 23	...	...	...	Law
Tuesday, April 24	...	...	...	Law
Wednesday, April 25	...	...	...	Accounts
Thursday, April 26	...	...	...	Sinhalese
Friday, April 27	...	...	...	Tamil

It is also hereby notified that the examination under the Minute of 12th December, 1898, and the *viva voce* examination in the native languages for officers in the Public Works Department will be held at the same time and place.

Only the Police Magistrates who are not members of the Bar or of the Civil Service, and those candidates who have been specially nominated by the Governor, will be admitted to the former examination.

Candidates are required to send in their names not later than 31st March, 1900.

Gentlemen in the Civil Service should state in their applications whether they are presenting themselves for the first or second examination, and whether they intend taking up Sinhalese or Tamil

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 2, 1900.

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

IT is hereby notified for general information that 161,647 acres of surveyed lands are available for sale in the under-mentioned Provinces:—

In the Western Province, 18,909 acres, situated in Siyane, Hewagam, Salpiti, and Alutkuru korales of the Colombo District, consisting of forest, chena, and jungle land.

In the Central Province, 2,841 acres, situated in the Kandy, Matale, and Nuwara Eliya Districts, and composed chiefly of jungle, chena, and patana lands.

In the Southern Province, 28,278 acres, situated in the Hambantota District, consisting of paddy fields, chena, jungle, and garden land.

In the Eastern Province, 38,260 acres, situated in the Batticaloa and Trincomalee Districts, consisting of garden lands, paddy lands, and jungle.

In the North-Central Province, 10,270 acres, distributed throughout the Province.

In the Province of Uva, 13,936 acres, situated in the Yatikinda division, and consisting of patana, chena, and paddy fields.

In the Province of Sabaragamuwa, 49,153 acres, situated in the Ratnapura and Kegalla Districts, consisting of forest and chena lands.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 5, 1899.

By His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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1	1 of 1880	17 of 1880	...	1	0
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3	1 of 1882	16 of 1882	...	1	0
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J. J. THORBURN,
Government Recordkeeper.
November, 1899.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 18, 1898.

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G. J. A. SKEEN,
Government Printer.

THE Jaela-Kotadeniyawa road will be closed to traffic from the 28th to the 30th March, inclusive, to admit of a bridge to be repaired between the 16th and 17th mileposts.

Provincial Engineer's Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1900. H. A. GRANT,
Provincial Engineer.

Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Coolies during the Month of January, 1900.

Colombo.	Total for one Month.			
	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.
Men ...	7,003	5,650	7,003	5,650
Women ...	1,209	1,848	1,209	1,848
Children ...	948	660	948	660
<i>Negombo.</i>				
Men ...	49	29	49	29
Women ...	2	—	2	—
Children ...	—	—	—	—
<i>Pesalai.</i>				
Men ...	—	—	—	—
Women ...	—	—	—	—
Children ...	—	—	—	—
<i>Vankalai.</i>				
Men ...	—	—	—	—
Women ...	—	—	—	—
Children ...	—	—	—	—
Total ...	9,211	8,187	9,211	8,187

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, March 5, 1900. H. HAY CAMERON,
Principal Collector.

Return of Immigrants and Emigrants for the Week ended February 28, 1900.

Immigrant Coolies for Colombo.

Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
422 ...	53 ...	475 ...	38 ...	4 ...	517
Previous Totals					3,296
Total since January 4, 1900					3,813

Immigrant Coolies for Estates.

Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
1,007 ...	325 ...	1,332 ...	295 ...	76 ...	1,703
Previous Totals					8,086
Total since January 4, 1900					9,789

Emigrants (all Classes including Estate Coolies).

Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
1,912 ...	594 ...	2,506 ...	206 ...	105 ...	2,817
Estate Coolies					1,390
Previous Totals					8,348
Total since January 4, 1900					9,738

J. G. O. REYNOLDS,
Master Attendant's Office, for Master Attendant.
Colombo, March 9, 1900.

Return of Immigrants and Emigrants for the Week ended March 7, 1900.

Immigrant Coolies for Colombo.

Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
391 ...	55 ...	446 ...	29 ...	10 ...	485
Previous Totals					3,813
Totals since January 4, 1900					4,298

Immigrant Coolies for Estates.

Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
790 ...	332 ...	1,122 ...	267 ...	83 ...	1,472
Previous Totals					9,789
Totals since January 4, 1900					11,261

Emigrants (all Classes including Estate Coolies).

Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
2,225 ...	463 ...	2,688 ...	216 ...	76 ...	2,980
Estate Coolies					1,507
Previous Totals					9,738
Totals since January 4, 1900					11,245

J. G. O. REYNOLDS,
Master Attendant's Office, for Master Attendant.
Colombo, March 9, 1900.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 11 of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1895, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Registration of Marriages, other than the Marriages of Kandians or of Mohammedans," I, Ponnambalam Arunachalam, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned buildings, used as places of public Christian worship, have been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein:—

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
103	March 2, 1900	Salvation Army Hall	Karawita-agare, Yagam pattu, Chilaw District	H. Mapp, Minister	Salvation Army
104	Do.	do.	Bakmiruppa, Yagam pattu, Kurunegala District	do.	do.
105	Do.	do.	Puliyankare, Yagam pattu, Chilaw District	do.	do.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 2, 1900.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Calves for Vaccination," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, March 21, 1900, from persons willing to contract for the supply of six calves, more or less, as may be required every month from date of acceptance of tender to December 31, 1900.

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 calves must be delivered at the animal vaccination depot, Jaffna. They should be under one year old, perfectly weaned, stout, and healthy, and without any eruption on the skin. Any calf not answering to the above description will be rejected.

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

A deposit of Rs. 15 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 shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon the signature of a contract.

Cash security to the extent of Rs. 50 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

For further particulars apply to the Colonial Surgeon, Jaffna.

A. PERRY,
Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, February 20, 1900.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Transport of Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Monday, April 2, 1900, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned service from date of acceptance of tender to December 31, 1900, or for a longer period, if considered advisable.

Conveyance of stores by carts as required :—

From Colonial Store to Railway Store and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Colonial Store to Colombo Kachcheri and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Colonial Store to Wharf Station and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Cement Store to Railway Store and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Cement Store to Wharf Station and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Colonial Store to Maradana Railway Station and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Beira Store to Maradana Railway Station and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Beira Store to Railway Store and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Beira Store to Colonial Store and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Factory Store to Railway Store and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Factory Store to Colonial Store and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Coal ground at Leyden Bastian gate to Maradana Coal ground and *vice versa*, per cart.

From Colonial Store to any other place within the gravets and *vice versa*, per cart, per mile.

2. 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.

3. A deposit of Rs. 30 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.

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. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 300. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

7. 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 such bond.

8. The security bond should be furnished within two weeks of acceptance of tender being notified.

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

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.

F. W. VANE,
Colonial Storekeeper.

Colonial Store,
Colombo, March 2, 1900.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the loading and unloading of Goods at the Nawalapitiya Station," will be received up to 12 noon on Monday, 19th instant, from persons willing to contract for the above service from April 1 next.

Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

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

A deposit of Rs. 50 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 should he fail to furnish the required security, such deposit of Rs. 50 will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

The security required will be Rs. 250 in cash, and any further information required can be obtained on personal application at the office of the General Manager.

The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and is further not bound to accept the lowest tender.

The person whose tender is accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having the security bonds prepared for the due performance of the contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of whom should be affixed to the documents.

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

W. T. PEARCE,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, March 7, 1900.

SALES OF UNSERVICABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the private property of long-sentenced prisoners admitted into Welikada Prison will be sold by public auction at the Welikada Jail premises at 12 noon on Saturday, March 31, 1900 :-

Serial No.	Register No.	Name.	Particulars of Private Property.
1	...	F 1,358 ... S. Fernando	... 1 white cloth, 1 old sarong, 1 banian, 1 handkerchief, and 3 shirt studs
2	...	F 1,359 ... H. Fonseka	... 1 sarong, 1 white cloth, 1 white coat, 1 banian, 1 leather belt, and 1 crooked comb
3	...	F 1,360 ... Sannappu	... 1 white cloth, 1 leather belt, 1 old sarong, and 1 handkerchief
4	...	F 1,363 ... John Sinno	... 1 sarong, 1 old sarong, 1 old white coat, 1 button, 1 silk tassel, 1 old white cloth, 1 old red silk handkerchief, 1 old white banian, 1 old crooked comb, 1 metal amulet, and 1 metal ring
5	...	F 1,404 ... William Sinno	... 1 Cannanore cloth, 1 chintz cloth, 1 banian, and 1 leather belt
6	...	F 1,406 ... P. Mastan	... 1 white cloth, 1 flannel coat, and 1 leather belt
7	...	F 1,407 ... Johannes	... 1 sarong and 2 handkerchiefs
8	...	F 1,424 ... I. Dias	... 1 old Cannanore cloth, 1 white cloth, 1 banian, 1 old white coat, 4 buttons, and 1 old leather belt
9	...	G 32 ... Podi Sinno	... 1 old sarong, 1 old banian, and 2 pieces of cloth
10	...	G 40 ... Babappu	... 1 old sarong, 1 old banian, 1 old leather belt, and 1 old white handkerchief
11	...	G 41 ... Cassim	... 1 old sarong, 1 old white banian, 1 old elastic belt, and 2 pieces of cloth
12	...	G 42 ... Mohamed Cassim	... 1 white sarong, 1 old elastic belt, 1 old silk handkerchief, 1 old banian, and 3 small iron keys
13	...	G 50 ... Philip Naide	... 1 old Cannanore coat, 4 brass coat buttons, 2 old Cannanore cloths, 1 old banian, 1 old leather belt, 2 pieces of cloths, and 1 crooked comb
14	...	G 70 ... Kadrawail	... 1 white cloth, 1 banian, and 2 small veti cloths
15	...	G 71 ... Appusinno	... 1 old Cannanore cloth, 1 old chintz cloth, 1 old banian, and 1 old white handkerchief
16	...	G 72 ... Deen	... 1 Cannanore coat and 1 sarong
17	...	G 73 ... Appusinno	... 1 old white cloth, 1 piece of striped cloth, and 1 silver stud
18	...	G 76 ... Bastian Appu	... 1 old sarong, 1 old white cloth, 1 old banian, 1 old handkerchief, and 1 old leather belt
19	...	G 77 ... Aberanchia	... 1 old chintz cloth, 1 old sarong, 1 torn handkerchief, and 1 old banian
20	...	G 82 ... John Appuhamy	... 1 old sarong and 3 pieces of old cloths
21	...	G 83 ... Elaris or Carolis	... 1 coloured cloth, 1 old white cloth, 1 white cloth banian, and 1 old leather belt
22	...	G 85 ... Tinno Sinno	... 1 old white cloth, 1 old sarong, 1 old white coat, and 1 old leather belt
23	...	G 86 ... M. Fernando	... 3 old chintz cloths and 1 old handkerchief
24	...	G 89 ... J. Croos	... 2 old white cloths, 1 old white coat, 1 old banian, 2 old handkerchiefs, and 1 old leather belt
25	...	G 91 ... W. M. Fernando	... 1 white cloth, 1 old sarong, 1 old white banian, and 1 old handkerchief
26	...	G 31 ... Don Alexander	... 2 white cloths, 1 old white coat, 4 mother-of-pearl buttons, 1 old white banian, 1 canvas belt, and 1 crooked comb
27	...	G 99 ... Saradia	... 1 old white cloth, 1 old sarong, 1 old merino banian, 1 old torn towel, and 1 leather belt
28	...	G 100 ... Kuppemuttu	... 2 old white cloths, 1 linen banian, and a piece of old cloth
29	...	G 117 ... C. Perera	... 1 old white cloth and 1 torn linen banian
30	...	G 134 ... Haramanis	... 2 old sarongs and 1 old handkerchief
31	...	G 140 ... Don Agonis	... 1 crooked comb, 2 old white cloths, 1 white shirt, 1 collar stud, 2 sleeve studs, 1 merino banian, 1 old white coat, 1 old red handkerchief, 2 old pocket handkerchiefs, 1 torn towel, and a piece of cloth
32	...	G 141 ... Babappu	... 1 Cannanore cloth, 1 Cannanore coat with four buttons, 4 white metal studs, 1 brass ring, 1 old white shirt, 1 banian, 1 white cloth, 2 pocket handkerchiefs, 1 old striped handkerchief, 1 old sarong, 1 old red tassel, and 1 old crooked comb
33	...	G 142 ... Sellappu	... 1 old white coat, 5 coat buttons, 1 old white banian, 1 old white cloth, 1 old Cannanore cloth, 2 pocket handkerchiefs, 1 pair of brown shoes, 1 pair of socks, and 1 old crooked comb
34	...	G 162 ... Charles	... 1 old black cloth, 1 old leather belt, and 1 old white handkerchief
35	...	G 164 ... Podi Sinno	... 1 soman cloth, 1 old leather belt, and 1 piece of cloth
36	...	G 165 ... John Peries	... 1 old sarong only
37	...	G 180 ... Don Valenti	... 1 old sarong, 1 old white banian, 1 old leather belt, a piece of brass wire made into an earring
38	...	G 181 ... Arumogan	... 1 veti cloth and 1 old handkerchief
39	...	G 184 ... B. John	... 1 old sarong, 1 old merino banian, and 1 old leather belt

Convict Establishment, Welikada,
February 27, 1900.

R. E. FIRMINGER,
Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, March 12 1900, at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at the Office of the Director of Public Works, Colombo, the following unserviceable articles of Public Works Department, viz. :—

1 bow, spring
 1 bow, pencil point
 3 bows, ink point
 2 chains, 66 ft.
 1 chain, 100 ft.
 1 set curves, cardboard
 1 curve, French
 2 drawing instrument cases
 2 levels, dumpy
 4 levelling staves
 8 set squares, vulcauite
 2 sets scales, cardboard

1 scale, plotting, offset, ivory
 4 scales, plotting, offset, boxwood
 3 scales, architectural, single, boxwood
 1 scale, 6 in., box wood
 4 scales, plotting, single
 5 stencil plates, alphabets
 3 stencil plates, scales, feet to an inch
 1 stencil plate, drawing No.
 1 stencil plate, Nos. 1 to 10
 5 T squares
 3 scale boxes
 9 tape boxes, 50 ft.
 6 tape boxes, 66 ft.
 6 tape boxes, 100 ft.

H. WARD,
 for Director of Public Works.

