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PROCLAMATIONS BY GOVERNOR.

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY ARTHUR BLAKE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

HEREAS by the Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, intituled "An Ordinance for the general regulation of Customs in the Island of Ceylon," it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor may by Proclamation appoint any place to be a haven, creek, port, or warehousing port in this Colony, and declare the limits thereof, and appoint proper places within the same to be legal quays for the lading and unlading of goods: And it is also further enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by any Proclamation to be by him issued and published in the Government Gazette, to allow ships or boats under fifteen tons burthen to import or export any goods from or to parts beyond the seas at such ports or places, and during such periods or times and in such manner as may be deemed expedient, upon any Pearl Fishery or other occasion appearing to require the same :

And whereas it is expedient to appoint the roadstead and town of Pukulam, in the Northern Province of this Island, to be a port for the lading and unlading of goods: And whereas on the occasion of the approaching Pearl Fishery it is deemed expedient to allow ships and boats under fifteen tons burthen to import or export goods from or to parts beyond seas at the said port:

Now therefore We, the said Governor, by virtue of the powers in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and appoint the roadstead and town of Pukulam aforesaid to be a port for the lading and unlading of goods from and after the Eleventh day of February: And We do hereby allow, from and after the said last-mentioned day, ships and boats under fifteen tons burthen to import or export any goods from or to parts beyond the seas at the said port, under and subject to the laws and regulations regarding the importation and exportation of goods at other ports in this Colony, and during the continuance of the Pearl Fishery aforesaid.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Ninth day of February, in the Year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Five.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY ARTHUR BLAKE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

WHEREAS by the 55th section of "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor by any Production amongst other things W enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by any Proclamation to be by him for that purpose issued, to establish within each and every district of this Island one Court to be called the District Court of such district, and within each and every division of the district one Court to be called the Court of Requests: such District Court and Court of Requests to be holden by and before one person, to be called the District Judge and Commissioner of Requests respectively, at such convenient place or places within such district or division as the Governor shall from time to time appoint:

And whereas District Courts and Courts of Requests have been heretofore lawfully established for the District of Mannar and the District of Puttalam respectively:

And whereas Marichchikaddi is a convenient place at which the District Courts of Mannar and Puttalam may respectively be held, and is also a convenient place at which the Courts of Requests of the divisions of Mannar and Puttalam may respectively be held:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, do by this Our Proclamation appoint Marichchi-kaddi to be a place at which the District Courts of Mannar and Puttalam and the Courts of Requests of Mannar and Puttalam may respectively be holden for the purposes of the administration of justice as from and after the Eleventh day of February, 1905.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Five.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY ARTHUR BLAKE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

THEREAS by the 5th section of the Prisons Ordinance, No. 16 of 1877, it is enacted amongst other things that it shall be lawful to the Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, to establish any prison or prisons for this Island, or for any part thereof:

And whereas it is expedient to establish a prison at Marichchikaddi:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Our Proclamation establish a prison at Marichchikaddi aforesaid for the reception of prisoners of every description committed or remanded under the authority of the several Courts of Mannar and Puttalam respectively.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Five:

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir Henry Arthur Blake, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated the Twenty-seventh day of July, One thousand Nine hundred and Four, and published in the Ceylon Government Gazette No. 5,997 of July 29, 1904, a police force was established at Galkulama, in the North-Central Province, under the provisions of section 8 of the Police Ordinance of 1865:

And whereas by section 8 of the said Ordinance it is further enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, such Proclamation to revoke:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Proclamation of the 27th July, 1904, with effect as from and after the First day of January, 1905:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation of the 27th day of July, 1904, as from and after the First day of January, 1905.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Ninth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Five.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY ARTHUR BLAKE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

WHEREAS by section 25 of "The Irrigation and Paddy Cultivation Ordinance, 1889," it is enacted that all rules for the enforcement of ancient customs regarding the irrigation and cultivation of paddy lands within any district in the Island framed under the provisions of section 13 or 16 shall be transmitted by the Government Agent to the Governor for the approval or disallowance thereof by the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and that in case such rules shall be approved notice of such approval shall be given by Proclamation, and the said rules shall be published in the Government Gazette and in the district in such manner as to the Government Agent shall seem expedient:

And whereas by section 26 of the said Ordinance it is enacted that the Government Agent may, if to him it shall seem advisable, and shall, upon the requisition of a reasonable number of the proprietors of the district where any rules for the enforcement of ancient customs are in force, call a public meeting of the proprietors for the purpose of adding to, amending, or repealing such rules or any of them:

And whereas the Government Agent of the Northern Province has drawn up rules under the provisions of section 16 of the said Ordinance for the districts of (1) Jaffna, (2) Mannar, and (3) Mullaittivu in the Northern Province, and published the same by Proclamation dated 26th September, 1903:

And whereas the Government Agent of the Northern Province has drawn up the rules set forth in the schedule hereto to be the rules relating to the encouragement and extension of paddy cultivation and the enforcement of ancient customs, the irrigation and cultivation of paddy lands, and maintenance of water rights in the said districts of (1) Jaffna, save and except Karaichchi division, (2) Mannar, and (3) Mullaittivu in the Northern Province, under the provisions of section 16 of the said Ordinance in lieu of the said rules of 26th September, 1903, and the same have been transmitted by the Government Agent of the Northern Province aforesaid to the Governor for approval or disallowance; and whereas the said rules have been approved by Us, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by the said section 25 of the above-named Ordinance, do by this Our Proclamation approve of the rules set out:

in the schedule hereto as irrigation rules for the District of Jaffna (excepting therefrom the Karaichchi division), Mannar, and Mullaittivu in the Northern Province, as from and after the 11th day of February, 1905.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Five.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Jaffna District.

Punaryn, including Pallavarayankaddu.

Manuar District.
Manuar Island.

Mullaittivu District.
The Maritime pattus.

Irrigation Rules.

1. For the purpose of effectively carrying out the following rules, each tract of paddy field (veli) in a village shall be separately enclosed by itself with the customary fence of stakes or thorns. In cases where a veli is not easily definable the majority of proprietors and headmen shall decide what extent of tract is to be called a veli for these purposes.

2. Inasmuch as there are natural water-springs in certain villages which are sources of irrigation to a considerable acreage of adjacent paddy lands, the said springs (subject to all rights and reservations of the Crown, from whose land they spring, and subject to the rights of others, if any, than agriculturists, who have enjoyed a share of the water from time immemorial) shall, for agricultural purposes, be hereafter considered to be the exclusive and joint property of all the proprietors of the fields irrigated by the springs; and no person (subject to the above exceptions) shall employ the water of a spring for any other purpose than the irrigation of the fields dependent on it.

3. Each proprietor shall contribute annually, either in money or labour, in the following proportion towards any work of construction, repair, restoration, improvement, or upkeep of the bund, embankment, channel, peli, or water-course connected with the springs outside the fields, which the Government Agent, after due inquiry, shall consider processors and order to be carried out of the construction.

necessary, and order to be carried out, viz.:—

One day's labour, or its equivalent in money, paid in advance, at the rate of 50 cents for each bushel of land owned by him in the field, provided that such labour shall not exceed thirty days in the case of a proprietor owning less than seventy-five bushels, and not less than six days in any case; and in the case of a proprietor owning seventy-five bushels or more such labour shall not exceed fifty days. Provided that if in any year it shall not be found necessary to require from every proprietor the full amount of labour, the Government Agent shall decide what proportion of labour shall be contributed by each proprietor. A fair day's labour shall be considered to be nine hours a day—i.e., from 6 A.M. to 11 A.M. and from 1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

- 4. In addition to the ordinary labour of the year, as above provided for, whenever the Government Agent, Assistant Government Agent, or person acting un der their orders shall find it necessary to call out the labour of a village to perform an urgent work of repair or of prevention of inevitable damage, uncommuted labour, either in person or by substitute, shall at once be furnished by every shareholder and cultivator, and continued daily until the completion of the work.
- 5. Notice shall be given by beat of tom-tom in the village, not less than twenty days beforehand, of the intention to call out the labour of a village, provided for by the 3rd clause, and of the proportion of labour required.
- 6. By the tenth day from the commencement of the notice by beat of tom-tom, proprietors intending to commute shall make their intention known, and shall pay in before the day fixed for the commencement of the work the full amount of commutation due by them; each proprietor, electing to work, shall attend the appointed place for work at the proper time, and shall carefully carry out the work assigned to him by the officer in charge of the work.
- 7. The construction or improvement of water-courses, pelies, and channels inside the fields shall be considered to belong to the description of work provided for in clause 3. The mere upkeep, however, of the water-courses, pelies, and channels inside the fields shall be maintained by the proprietors of the shares through which they lead, whether such shares be cultivated or not.
- 8. Each proprietor of paddy fields who has hitherto enjoyed a share of water from these springs shall be allowed water from them in proportion to his share; the furthest share of land from the springs shall be irrigated first, and thence in regular succession up to the share of land nearest the springs. The shares of water, which are in divisions of time, shall be calculated from the time the water begins to enter each share of land.
- 9. Before the commencement of the sowing season the proprietors of paddy fields of each veli shall decide what description of paddy is to be sown for that season; and any proprietor sowing any other description of paddy than that agreed on by the majority of the proprietors shall do so on his own responsibility and risk, and shall watch, fence, and perform all the duties hereafter mentioned until all the paddy in the field is reaped. But whereas in some fields it is not possible to sow the same description of paddy over

the whole extent in consequence of the varieties of soil and inequalities of surface, a majority of the proprietors shall decide on the different descriptions of paddy to be sown, and all the proprietors shall watch, keep up the fence, &c., until all the paddy has been

10. If the proprietor of any field in a veli does not intend to sow his field for the season, he shall give due notice of his intention to the adjacent shareholder or shareholders in presence of the irrigation headmen on or before the 1st of June; and the share of such absentee, in that case, may be cultivated free of rent for that season by the adjacent shareholders, all the duties of a cultivator being performed by the person or persons so cultivating for the season.

It must be understood that such duties do not include services required of the

proprietor by clause 3.

In the event of the adjacent shareholder being unable or unwilling to cultivate the

absentee's share, any other shareholder is at liberty to do so free of rent.

In the event of the share of an absentee not being cultivated by the adjacent or any other shareholder, the proprietor himself shall perform all the duties required of a proprietor, whether he cultivates his share or not. The cases of proprietors unable to cultivate their shares from ill-health, or some unavoidable cause, shall be specially cultivate their shares from ill-health, or some unavoidable cause, shall be specially considered by the Government Agent, who, if he think fit to do so, may remit the commutation for services due for that year under clause 3.

- Any proprietor, if unable to attend personally, may provide for the cultivation of his share by substitute or "varakkudi," in the performance of the duties required. No proprietor, however, shall employ any substitute or "varakkudi" who is in the service of another proprietor as "varakkudi" without the consent of such other proprietor.
- 12. Each proprietor shall erect a proper watch-hut on his share, and watch his cultivation, and continue to keep watch in his share for fourteen days after the whole of his crop has been reaped. Information of the fact that the whole of his crop has been reaped shall be given by him, without delay, to the irrigation headman.
- 13. Each proprietor, whose share lies on the outside, shall put up his usual share of fence of the fields in a veli. The fences shall be made sufficiently strong to keep out cattle; and all cultivators of the fields in a veli who are liable under these rules to be called on to put up fences or portions of fences, shall put up their respective fences or portions of fences on or before the date fixed for the purpose by the majority of them at a meeting held beforehand; and each proprietor shall see that his fence or portion of fence is kept in proper order throughout the cultivation of the season until the crop has been reaped.
- 14. Each proprietor who stacks his paddy in a threshing-floor by himself shall put up a strong stake fence round it, and shall watch the threshing floor until he threshes his paddy; and proprietors of different shares who stack their paddy in a common threshingfloor shall jointly keep up in like manner a strong stake fence round it; and each of the proprietors shall watch the threshing-floor for seven days after he has threshed his paddy.

15. All buffaloes shall, during cultivation, have wooden bells attached to their necks, and all known fence-breakers or dangerous animals shall be yoked with others.

All buffaloes shall be driven to grazing grounds by day and folding grounds by night, at places fixed, after due inquiry, by the Government Agent, who shall also, after due inquiry, select and fix for each village or group of villages their own proper cattle grazing and folding grounds; and no cattle of other villages shall be driven to those grounds without a special license from the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, whether they be cattle belonging to the natives of the district or cattle belonging to owners in other districts and pattus.

All black cattle, goats, and sheep shall be herded during the day and folded during the night outside the fields; and when in any village a place has been fixed on, after due inquiry, by the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, as the place in which black cattle, goats, and sheep shall be folded during the cultivation season, no proprietor shall fold his cattle, goats, or sheep in any place nearer than the one fixed on to the spring, field, or village.

Proprietors of buffaloes, black cattle, goats, and sheep shall not suffer their cattle, goats, or sheep to trespass on the cultivation of any neighbouring village, nor shall they fold their cattle or drive them to pasture near the cultivation of or within the limits of

any neighbouring village.

And whereas it is the practice to pasture cattle from Jaffina and other places near the cultivated fields in the Mannar and Mullaittivu Districts and the mainland of the Jaffna District, all persons owning, possessing, and tending such cattle, whether they be villagers or not, shall obtain from the Government Agent authority to pasture their cattle in either district only under a license, indicating the name of the owner and the person in whose charge they are to be left, and the number and description and brandmarks of the cattle

Such license shall be in force only for the period named in it.

All persons so licensed shall be subject to these rules, and liable to the same penalties as the cultivators for breach of them.

16. All adult male inhabitants of a village and all proprietors, whether male or female, of fields in the village shall keep the paths leading from their village to the neighbouring villages clear of obstruction, bushes, &c., to a width not less than six feet, half-way between their villages and the neighbouring villages, and shall keep free of jungle a space round the outermost fences of the inhabited portion of the village of a width proportionate to the number of inhabitants, viz., villages containing fifty inhabitants and five valavus, 200 yards; under fifty inhabitants and over twenty-five, 100 yards; containing twenty-five and under, 50 yards.

Any neglect to comply with the above rules or any act committed in breach of them will subject the offender to the penalties provided for by section 27 of the Ordinance

No. 23 of 1889.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 34 of 1905.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment on his Personal Staff:—

The LORD HERSCHELL to be Assistant Private Secretary.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary. Colombo, February 8, 1905.

No. 35 of 1905.

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

Mr. W. R. WAIT to be an Additional Assistant to the Government Agent, Northern Province, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the Mannar and Puttalam Districts, with effect from February 18, 1905, during the Pearl Fishery of Marichchikaddi.

Mr. W. F. H. DE SARAM to act as District Judge, Negombo; Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Negombo; and Superintendent of the Negombo Prison, with effect from February 6, 1905, until relieved by Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE.

Mr G. W. WOODHOUSE to the office of District Judge, Negombo, Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Negombo, and Superintendent of the Negombo Prison, with effect from February 9, 1905, and until further

Mr. E. ONDATJE to be, in addition to his own duties, Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent of the Western Province on February 8, 1905.

Mr. J. H. SPROULE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panwila and Urugala, from February 6 to 10, 1905, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. WILLIAM DUNUWILLE on leave, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary. Colombo, February 9, 1905.

No. 36 of 1905.

T is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 7 of the Minute dated November 24, 1891, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, to appoint Mr. Peter de Saram to be a Member of the Fifth Class of the Civil Service in the Lower Division.

2. Mr. DE SARAM will, however, remain seconded from the Civil Service and will continue to discharge his present duties as Itinerating Police Magistrate, Western Province, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary. Colombo, February 9, 1905. No. 37 of 1905.

T is hereby notified that in terms of the Minute of December 29, 1897, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following Officer to officiate in the Class named with effect from January 25, 1905:—

Class V.—Mr. J. M. DAVIES.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Colombo, February 10, 1905.

No. 38 of 1905.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that Mr. E. B. F. SUETER, Cadet, be attached to the Colonial Secretary's Office, and that Mr. E. T. MILLINGTON. Cadet, be attached to the Colombo Kachcheri, with effect from February 6, 1905.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 4, 1905.

No. 39 of 1905.

T is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to confer the Honorary Rank of Lieutenant-Colonel on Major HECTOR VAN CUYLENBURG, V.D., Ceylon Light Infantry, in accordance with paragraph 95 of the Rules and Regulations relating to the Ceylon Volunteers.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary. Colombo, February 9, 1905.

No. 40 of 1905.

T is notified for information that HIS EXCEL-LENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve of the following transfer in accordance with section 9 of the Reserve Ordinance No. 16 of 1890, viz.:—

Captain and Honorary Major WALTER RICHARD WALLER, V.D., from Volunteer Reserve to the efficive list, Ceylon Light Infantry.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve of the following promotion:—

Captain and Honorary Major WALTER RICHARD WALLER, V.D., to be Major.

Major WALTER RICHARD WALLER, V.D., having exceeded the age limit laid down in paragraph 103 of the Rules and Regulations of the Ceylon Volunteers, has been permitted by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to resign his Commission with the Honorary Rank of Lieutenant-Colonel on retirement, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary. Colombo, February 7, 1905.

No. 41 of 1905.

IIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve of the following appointment:—

Captain JAMES VAN LANGENBERG, Ceylon Light Infantry, to command the Cadet Battalion, Ceylon Light Infantry, with the Honorary Rank of Major, and to remain seconded in the Ceylon Light Infantry whilst so employed.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 4, 1905.

No. 42 of 1905.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve of the following appointments:—

Mr. CHARLES LANCELOT TRANCHELL, Superintendent of Police, Colombo, to be Superintendent of Police, Central Province; Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Districts of Kandy, Galagedara, Matale, Hatton, Nuwara Eliya, Panwila, Urugalla, Gampola, Nawalapitiya, and Pussellawa; and a Justice of the Peace for the Districts of Kandy, Galagedara, Matale, Hatton, Nuwara Eliya, Panwila, Urugalla, Gampola, Nawalapitiya, and Pussellawa.

Mr. HERBERT LAYARD DOWBIGGIN, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Northern Province, Jaffna, to be Superintendent of Police, Colombo; Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Districts of Colombo, Negombo, Panadure, Kalutara, Avisawella, Pasyala, and Welisara; and a Justice of

the Peace for the Districts of Colombo, Negombo, Panadure, Kalutara, Avisawella, Pasyala, and Welisara.

Mr. James Stewart Bowes, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Central Province, Kandy, to be Assistant Superintendent of Police, Northern Province, Jaffna; Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Districts of Jaffna, Manar, Mullaittivu, Point Pedro, Kayts, Chavakachcheri, and Mallakam; and a Justice of the Peace for the Districts of Jaffna, Mannar, Mullaittivu, Point Pedro, Kayts, Chavakachcheri, and Mallakam.

Mr. AUSTIN CHARLES GODFREY to be Assistant Superintendent of Police for the Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 6, 1905.

No. 43 of 1905.

T is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the advice of the Executive Council, to appoint Mr. T. C. HUXLEY, under section 1 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1887, to be an Additional Member of the District Road Committee, Kandy, for the years 1905 and 1906, in the room of Mr. GORDON PYPER.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Colombo, February 10, 1905.

APPOINTMENTS. &c. OF REGISTRARS.

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

DON SARANERIS GUNASINGHE to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Migahatenna division and Registrar of Marriages of Mahapattu south division in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from February 1, 1905, vice Don Andris de Alwis Gunatilaka, dismissed. His office will be at Pettigalahena in Ratmale.

Mr. S. R. MUTTUKUMARU, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Jaffna, to act as Registrar of Lands, Jaffna, for four weeks and two days from February 1, 1905, or until further orders, during the absence on leave of Mr. M. CARALASINGAM.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 7, 1905.

A. M. Ashmore,
Colonial Secretary.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by H. M. TIKIRI BANDA, Registrar of General Marriages of Uduwapalata, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamtiwa, with effect from January 15, 1905.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonibo, February 4, 1905. THE following appointments under sections 2 and 3 of the Ordinances Nos. 19 and 23 of 1900, respectively, are hereby notified:—

The Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Joseph Pieris Wickramasekera, Police Vidane, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Degamboda division and of Marriages of Gangaboda pattu of Siyane Korale East in the Colombo District of the Western Province for thirty days from January 28, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, B. Pieris Suriyapperuma, on leave. His office will be at Nugagahawatta in Pugoda.

The Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed PINCHI BANDA DISSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births, Deaths, and General Marriages of Harispattu No. 3 Division in the Kandy District of the Central Province for five days from February 8, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, W. M. KIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Mullegama in Harispattu.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed W. P. D. TIMBIRIWEWA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Magul Medagandahe korale division and as Registrar of General Marriages of Wanni hatpattu division in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province for six days from February 13, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, H. S. N. W. MUDIYANSE, on leave. His office will be at Hulowa.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed A. M. Senaratna to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Imbulpe division and Registrar of General

Marriages of Uduwaggam pattu of Kadawatu korale division in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa for fourteen days from February 7, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, J. A. FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at Gangoda-arawe in Alutnuwara.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed Don Charles Abeysekara to act as Registrar Marriages of Munwattebage pattn and as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bellapitiya division in the Kalutara District of the Western Province for fifteen days from January 25, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, Kathiriachchige Don Lewis, on leave. His office will be at Kottunnewatta in Dombagoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Mr. B. A. Vantherkone to act as Registrar of Marriages of the Mannar Island division in the Mannar District of the Northern Province for one week from February 1, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. C. Vallipuram, on leave. His office will be at Udaiyavalavu in Mannar.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ROBERT PETER KARUNARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hiniduma division and Registrar of Marriages of Hiniduma pattu division in the Galle District of the Southern Province for four days from February 11, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, G. E. D. KARUNARATNE, on leave. His office will be at Ussalgodawatta in Hiniduma.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed DON CAROLIS WIJESURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dodanduwa division and Registrar of Marriages of Wellaboda pattu division in the Galle District of the Southern Province for two days from February 8, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, ARLIS WIJESURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Nagahagalawatta in Dodanduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed Don Charles Disanayaka to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nakulugamuwa division and as Registrar of Marriages of West Giruwa pattu division in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province for two weeks from February 6, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, Don Abraham Disanayaka, on leave. His office will be at Bogahawatta in Nakulugamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Chilaw, has appointed Abraham Rajapaksa to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Munnessaram pattu South division and as Registrar of General Marriages of Pitigal korale North division in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province for five days from February 6, 1905, during the absence of the Registrar, Wijevesinha Ekanayaka Don James Perera, on leave. His office will be at Kakkapalliya.

H. WHITE, Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, February 9, 1905.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE following regulation made by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 3 of 1897 is published for general information:—

During the continuance of the Pearl Fishery at Marichchikaddi, commencing on February 20, 1905, the Port of Pukulam will be open to passengers proceeding to the Fishery direct from India by the Paumben-Marichchikaddi route.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 9, 1905. A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the regulations dated November 24, 1900, made by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 3 of 1897, and published in the *Gazette* of November 30, 1900, it is hereby declared that Broach port in the Bombay Presidency is a plague-infected port.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 10, 1905. A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

A PPLICATION having been made by Mr. Frederick Tatham of Kudu-oya estate, Hatton, for the purchase of land lot 5,904 in preliminary plan No. 1,837, containing in extent 15 acres and 1 rood, bounded on the north by Chalmers estate (title plan No. 73,672), on the south and east by Katukitulduwa-oya and Kudu-oya estate, and on the west by Kudu-oya estate, situated in the village Udagama in Udapone korale of the Kotmale division, Nuwara Eliya District, Central Province, the said land being an "enclave" of Kudu-oya estate: It is hereby notified under regulation No. 52 of Land Sale Regulations published in Gazette dated February 20, 1903, that the said land will be sold to the said applicant at Rs. 30 per acre, unless within six weeks from the date of this notice valid reasons to the contrary are adduced.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 6, 1905. A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

THE following notices are published in accordance with the provision of sections (a) and (b) of Government Notification dated December 7, 1904.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 3, 1905. A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

I hereby give notice that the right-hand half; of Currency Note No. $\frac{A}{16}$ 96,433 for Rs. 5 was lost on January 1, 1905, whilst in my possession.

No. 12, Ferry lane, Slave Island, Colombo, January 15, 1905. JOHN SINGHO.

I hereby give notice that the right-hand half of Currency Note No. $\frac{B}{9}$ 94,598 for Rs. 10 was eaten by white ants whilst in my possession.

Henaratgoda, January 28, 1905.

M. D. T. AMARASINHA, Ganemulla, Henaratgoda.

In pursuance of the provisions of section 5 of the Ceylon Railways, Ordinance, No. 9 of 1902, the following addition to rule 42a of the rules relating to the conveyance of traffic by passenger train is made by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and will take effect from February 13, 1905.

By His Excellency's command,

Colombo, February 10, 1905.

A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Rule referred to.

Papaw juice will be conveyed by passenger train at owners' risk at half parcels rate. The freight must be prepaid. Minimum charge, 10 cents:

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the powers vested in the said Governor, with the advice aforesaid, by section 10 of Ordinance No. 3 of 1896, has resolved that the following ferry toll in the District of Kegalla, Province of Sabaragamuwa, be abolished from and after January 1, 1905.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, January 1, 1905. A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary.

Toll referred to.

Paved ford over the Ritigaha-oya near Ruanwella.

I is hereby notified in terms of clause 22 of the Minute on Pensions dated January 24, 1903, that the under-mentioned officer has been seconded for service, with effect from February 1, 1905, as Teacher of the Gansabhawa School at Ambanpola, with claim to pension in respect of the period of such service:—

Mr. T. A. Samarasinghe, Second Assistant, Ellakkala School.

The notice of January 16, 1905, appearing in the Gazette of January 20, 1905, is hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 6, 1905. A. M. ASHMORE, Colonial Secretary. THE following rules made by the Government Agent, Central Province, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1893, in respect of the public slaughter-house, Nanu-oya, have been confirmed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and are hereby published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 11, 1905. By His Excellency's command,
A. M. ASHMORE,
Colonial Secretary.

Rules referred to.

- 1. No person licensed to carry on the trade of a butcher in Nanu-oya shall slaughter cattle and sheep at any place other than the public slaughter-houses on Edinburgh estate referred to in the Proclamation dated 18th November, 1904, and published in Government Gazette No. 6,020.
- 2. The plot of land adjoining the Constable Arachchi's residence is hereby appointed as the spot in which the licensed butchers of Nanu-oya shall, as required by section 12, sub-section 1, of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1893, expose to public view all cattle intended for slaughter for a period of not less than 24 hours immediately preceding the time of slaughter.
- 3. No cattle or sheep shall be slaughtered at the said slaughter-house except on such days and between such hours as may be determined by the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya. notice of which shall be posted at the said slaughter-house, nor until after they have been inspected and approved of by the District Medical Officer, Nanu-oya, as fit to be slaughtered for human food.
 - 4. Cattle rejected as unfit for slaughter shall be immediately removed.
- 5. The said District Medical Officer may prohibit the slaughter of any animal notwithstanding that it has been approved as aforesaid, if it should before slaughter be found to be diseased or otherwise unfit to be slaughtered for human food.
- 6. If on any animal which has been approved as aforesaid being slaughtered the carcase shall appear diseased or unfit for human food, the said District Medical Officer shall cause the meat to be immediately destroyed or so disposed of as to prevent its being exposed for sale or used for human food.
- 7. The person in charge of the slaughter-house shall not permit the slaughter of any cattle which have not been approved as aforesaid as fit to be slaughtered for human food, or the slaughter of which the said District Medical Officer has prohibited as provided by rule 5.
 - 8. No person shall remove from the slaughter-house, except under the directions of the said District Medical Officer, any meat which the latter has declared to be unfit for human food.
 - 9. The fee for slaughtering shall be seventy-five cents for each head of cattle, and twenty-five cents for each head of sheep.
 - 10. The person in charge of the slaughter-house shall keep a register in the form annexed of all cattle brought to the slaughter-house.

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No. of Cattle Voucher.	Description.	Colour.	Right Side.	Left Side.	Name of Butcher	Date of Inspection:	Remarks (here state whether approved or rejected.)	Date of Slaughter.	Signature of Police Officer receiving Cattle Voucher.	
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- 1. නානුතිය පලාහේ හරක් සහ එඑවෝ මරා මස් විකිණීමට අවසරලත් කිසිවෙක් විසින් 1901 නොවෑම්බු මස 18 වෙනි දින දරන පුකාශපතුයේ සඳහන්වන ඇඩිම්බරෝචන්ගේ හරක්මරණ පුසිබ මඩුවේ මිස වෙන මොන සථානයකවන් හරක් නොමැරිය යුතුයි.
- 2. මකාස්තාපල් ආරචාමගේ ගෙදරට යාව තිබෙන ඉඩම නානුඹයේ බලයලත් හරක්මරන් හත් විසින් විෂී 1893මත් නොම්මර 9යේ ආඥුපණිගේ 12 වෙත ව්ගන්තියේ පළමුවෙනි සුළු වගන්ති යෙත් ඕනෑකර තිබෙන ලෙස මරණ කාලය එක්කම පුථම 21 පැයකට අඩුනොවන කාලයක් මරන්ට අදහස්කරගන සිටින ගවසින් සියල්ලම මහජනයාට දනගෑණීම පිණිස බැඳහමන්නාවූ සථානයක් හැටියට මෙසින් නියමකරනලදී.
- 3. නුවරඑලියේ උප ඒජන්ත උන්නාන්සේ විසින් නියමකරණ දවස්වලදී සහ පැයවල් ඇතුල තදී ඇර වෙන වෙලාවකද්වත් (එසේ නියමකරණ නියමය ගැණ පුසිඩ පතුයක් හරක්මරණ මඩුවේ

අලවනු ලැබේ.) නානුමය පලාගේ වෛද, චාරිතැන විසින් මනුෂා සින්ගේ කෑම පිණිස මස් ගැණිමට සුදුසුය කියා ඒවා තුගන්නාලද ගවසින් සහ එඑවන් මිස අන්කිසි ගවයෙක් හෝ එඑවෙක්වත් ඉහත සඳහන් හරක් මරණ මඩුවේදී නොමැරිය යුතුසි.

- 4. මැරීමට නුසුදුසුය කියා අභක්කරණලද හරක් සහ එඑවෝ වහාම ඉවත්කෙරිය යුතුයි.
- 5. ඉතතකී පුකාර ඒත්තුගත් යම් ගවගෙක් නමුත් මරන්ට පථමියෙන් එම ගවයා ලෙඩ සහිත බව නොහොත් වෙනාකාරයකින් එම ගවයාගේ මස් මතුෂාසින්ගේ කෑමට නුසුදුසුය කියා දන ගත්ට ලැබුනේවීනම් එකී ගවයා මැරීම තහනම්කිරීමට එකී වෛද්යවාරිතැනට පුළුවන.
- 6. ඉහතකී පුකාර ඒත්තුගෙණ මර්ණුලැබූ ගවලෙක් ලෙඩ සහිත බව මලකඳෙන් පෙනී තියොත් නොහොත් එම ගවයාගේ මස් මනුෂෳසින්ගේ කෑම පිණිස ගැනීමට නුසුදුසුයසි පෙනීතියොත්, එම ගවයාගේ මස් වහාම නැතිකර දම්මවන්ට නොහොත් ඒවා විකිණිම නොහොත් මනුෂෳසින්ගේ කෑමට ගැණීම වැලැක්වීම පිණිස කටයුතු එකී පලාතේ වෛදූවායෳිනැත විසින් කරණුලැබේ.
- 7. මනුෂාසින්ගේ කෑම පිණිස ගැණිමට මරන්ව සැඟේය කියා ඉහනකී පුකාර ඒත්තුගන්ව නොයෙදුන ගවයින් හෝ පස්මෙනි වගන්තියේ පුකාර එකී පලාගේ වෛදුවායෳිනැන විසින් නොම රණලෙස තහනම්කරණලද ගවයින්වත් මෑරීමට හරක් මරණ මඩුව භාරව සිටින අය විසින් ඉඩ නොදිය යුතුය.
- 8. මතු හා සින්ගේ කෑම පිණිස ගැණි මට නුසදුසුයයි එකී මෛචද චාය නිතැන විසින් පුකාශ කරණලද යම් මාංසයක් එකී පලාගත් මෛචද චාය නිතැත කග් ආඥුපුකාර මිස, කිසිවෙක් විසින් එකී තරක් මරණ මඩු වෙන් පිටතට ගෙණ නොගිය යුතුය.
 - 9. මැරීමේ ගාසතුව එක ගවමයකුට ශත 75ක්ද, එඑමෙකුට ශත 25ක්ද වේ.
- 10. හරක් මරණ මඩුවට ගෙණ එත සියඑම ගවයින්ගේ ලේඛනයක් මීට යාකර තිබෙන පෝර්මයේ පුකාර හරක් මරණ මඩුව තාරව සිටින අය විසින් තැබිය යුතුයි.

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1893 ம் ஆண்டின் 9 ம் இல : க கட்டுகுச்சட்டத்தின் பிரகாரம் நாது ஒயா ஆடுமொடு அமுக்குஞ் சாவலையப்பற்றி துடுமோகாண கொலற்ணமேந்த ஏசண்டைர் அவர்களால் செய்யட்பட்ட பிரமாணங்கள் :—

- 1. 1904 ம் ஆண்டு கார்த்திகைமாதம் 18 ந் தேதியையுடையவும் 6,020 ம் இலக்க அரசாட்சி "செசற்" நில் பிரசித் க ம்பண்ணைப்பட்டிருக்கும் பிரசித்தப் பத்திரத்திற் குறிக்கப்பட்டிருக்கும் எடின்பரே தொட்டத்திலிருக்கும் ஆமோடு அமைக்கும் பிரசித்தச்சாவேகளில் தவீர நாது ஒபா என்னும் நாட்டில் ஆமுமாடு அமைத்து வீற்க உத்தரவுச்சிட்டுப்பெற்ற இறைறச்சிக்காரர் வேறு யோடு காரு இடத்திலும் ஆடுமாடு அமைக்கக்கூடாது.
- 2. 1893 ம் ஆண்டின் 9 ம் கட்டுணச்சட்டத்தின் 12 ம் பிரிவீல் 1 ம் பகுதியில் நிருபித்திருக்கிறபடி பிருகங்கின அமை க்க மூன் 24 மணித்தியாலத்திற்குக் குறையாத காலம் அமைக்க நியபித்திருக்கும் அலைவுள் நோது ஒயா நாட்டி தொள்ள உத் தரவுச்சீட்டுப்பெற்ற இறைச்சிக்காரர் சமாவரின் பார்வைக்கு வைக்குந்தலமாக சொனதொப்பு ஆராட்சிவீட மிக்கு அருகே பிருக்கும் காணித்தாண்டு இத்தால் ஏற்பமித்தப்படுகின்றது.
- 3. நுவரேவியா உதவி ஏசண்டர் அவர்களால் குறிக்கப்படும் நாட்களிலும் நேரத்கிலுமன்றி ஆம**ாமு அமுக்கு**ஞ் சா**ஸ்பி**ல் அ**றிவீ**த்தல் ஒட்டி நியமிக்கும் மற்முத் தேரங்களிலுமல்லாமல் வே மு நேரங்களிலாவ ந அல்லக நொது ஒயாவி விருக்கும் டிளைதிறிக் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசர் என்னும் அரசாட்கியாரின் வைத்தியரால் சோதிக்கப்பட்டு மேனிதேர் சாப்பாட்டுக் காக அமுக்கத் தகுந்ததென்மு ஏற்முக்கொள்ளப்படுமெனவும் யாதொரு ஆடுமொடுகள் அமுக்கக்கட்டுது.
 - 4. அறைக்கத்தகாத தென்று தன்ன பட்ட ஆடுமாடுகின உடனே அகற்றிப்போடவேணும்.
- 5. மேற்சொல்விய பிரகாரம் நல்ல கென்ற ஏேற்றாக்கொள்ளுப்பட்ட ஆடுமாடுகள் அறுக்கப்படமுண் நோயுள்ளேலையை கள் தேல் தை வேறுவைகையாய் மணிதர் சாப்பாட்டுக்காக அறுக்கத்தகா தலைவ கௌன்று காணப்படுமாகுல், சொல்லிய டிகை தேறிக் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசர் அலையுள் அறுக்கத்கூடாடுதன்றை தடைசெய்யலாம்.
- 6. மேற்சொல்விய பிரகாரம் நல்லதென்று ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப்பட்ட மிருகங்களில் ஏதாவது அறுக் ப்பட்டதின்பின் அகன் மாம்சம் தோயுள்ளபதன்று அல்லது மணிதர் சாப்பாட்டுக்கு நீ தகாத்பகேன்று தோற்றுமாகுல், சொல்லப்பட்ட ஒளு திறிக் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசர் அந்த இறைச்சியை உடனே அதம்பண் ணுவிக்கவே ணும், அல்லது அதை விற்குறதற்காக பார்வைபிடவைக் அல்லது மனிதர் சாப்பா - இக்காக பாவிக்கக்கடோதபடி தடிக்கத்துக்கதாக அதை மறுவிதப்படுத்த வேணும்.
- 7. டேற்சொல்லிய பிரகாரம் மணிதர் சாப்பாட்டுக்காக அறைக்கட்படுவதற்குத் தகுந்கதென்று ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப் படாத அல்லது (ேலே காணும்) 5 ம் பிரமாணத்தின் பிரகாரம் அறுக்கக்கூடாடுதன்று சொல்லப்பட்ட டிகைத்தில் பெடிக்கல் ஒபிசர் தடுக்கும் யாதொரு ஆமுமாடுகளே அறுக்க அறுக்குஞ்சால் மேல்விசாரிப்புக்காரன் இடங்கொடுக்கப் படாது.
- 8. சொல்லப்பட்ட டிஸ்திறிக் டெடிக்கல் ஒபிசர் மனிதர் சாப்பாட்டிக்குத் தகாததென்ற விள**்பின யாதொரு** இறைச்சியை அவருடைய அணுமதி இல்லாமல் ஆய்மாடு அறைக்குஞ் சால்மைய**ி**ட்டு ஒருவரும் எடுத்துக்கொண்டுபோகச் உடாது.
 - 9. ஆமோடு அறக்கும் செலவு மாடு ஒவ்வொன்றுக்கு சதம் 75, ஆடு ஒவ்வொன்றுக்கு சதம் 25.
- 10. ஆடுமோடு அறுக்குஞ்சா?ஸ் மேல்விசாரிப்புக்காரன் ஆடுமாடு அறுக்குஞ் சா?ஸ்க்குக் கொண்டுவரப்படும் எல்லா மா**டுகளின்** இடாப்பை இத்தோ டுணந்நிருக்குந் தானிற்கா ஹும் வண்ணும் எழுதிலையக்க**ிய ஹும்**.

	***		G.	மைகு றிக்	த வண்ண	சத்தான்.			
மாட் ி த்துண் மன் இலக்கம்.	கும்பு.	திறம்.	⊕∴0	க் குறி.	இறைரை சிக்கா சன் பெயர்.		இன்றுஞ் சொல் லத்தக்கவை ஏற்		மாட் டி த்துண் இடைந்துக்
			அ ல து புக்கம்.	இடைது பேககம்.		ு சாதைக்	நாச் கொள்ளப்பட் டுச்தா அலலது தள்ளப்பட்ட தோ இவசு து இவ்விடை த்தில் குறிக்க வேண் மேம்.	அமைந்த ்தஇ.	கொள்ளும் பொலீஸ் உத் திரியாகதை சின் கையொப் பம்
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MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

COLOMBO WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT.

THE weekly return of births and deaths in the Colombo town for the week ended February 4. 1905, is subjoined (A).

Births.—The total births were 97. The birth-rate per 1,000 was 29.8,* as against 25.8 in the preceding week and 213 in the corresponding week of last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths were 93. The death-rate per 1,000 was 28.6,* as against 32.2 in the previous week and 40.1 in the corresponding week of last year.

Causes of death.—No persons died from cholera, smallpox, or measles. 13 died from diarrhœa and dysentery; 22 from phthisis, bronchitis, and pneumonia; 4 from different kinds of fever; and 10 from infantile convulsions.

Infantile deaths. -Of the 93 total deaths, 24 were of infants under 1 year of age, being in the proportion of 350 to 1,000 registered births, as against 405 to 1,000 in the previous week and 529 to 1,000 in the corresponding week of the previous year.

The numbers of births and deaths registered in nineteen other principal towns are shownin list B.

A.-Colombo Town.

* Calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1905.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, February 7, 1905. N. W. MORGAPPAH, for Registrar-General.

Proportion Birth-rate pe Population at the Census, 1901 Death-rate pe elected Cause of Death for the Week under Report. to 1,000 registered Mille per Mille per Annum. Annum. Births. Corresponding Week of Dyseu Ward. Corresponding Week previous Year. Infantile Convulsions under Réport. Phthisis, Bronchitis, and Pueumonia. Week under Réport Week under Report Preceding Week. Preceding Week. Preceding Week. and Enteric Fever. Other Fevers. Corresponding Previous Y Diarrhea Deaths. Week Stíll 24 350 405 529 Colombo Town 155,869 97 29.8 25.8 21.3 28.6 32.2 40 22 10 2,285 Fort and Galle Face 7,561 Pettah 1 St. Sebastian 9,349 .4 8 <u>.</u> St. Paul's 20,260 2 1 Kotahena 33,355 17 ... 8 *18 †14 New Bazaar 17,470 1 _ 2 2 3 2 5 5 ••• 23 19 30,381 Maradana

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Slave Island

Kollupitiya

¹¹ * Maradana hospitals.

Race.		Population at the Census of 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Meteorol o gy				Week under Report.	Preced- ing Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year	
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	7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	Nuwara Eli Jaffna Galle Matara Batticaloa Trincomale	ė			•••	5,072 33,879 37,165 11,848 9,969 11,887	•••	23 28 13 2	•••	37 21 7 6	
	13. 14. 15. 16. 17.	Kurunegala Puttalam Chilaw Anuradhapu Badulla			•	•••	6,483 5,115 4,168 3,672 5,924	•••	7 5 2 3	•••	12 1 8 4	

* Information not received.

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OTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. D. B. Jayatilaka, Manager of Buddhist Schools, Colombo, for a grant in aid of his Amitirigala Vernacular Boys' Primary School, which is situated in Three Korales of the Dehigampal korale of the Province of Sabaragamuwa

Observations will be received not later than March 2. 1905.

J. HARWARD,

Office of Public Instruction, Colombo, February 6, 1905.

18. Ratnapura

Kegalia ...

Director.

WELVE vaccinated bull-calves and heifers, more or _ less, will be put up for sale by auction on Saturday, the 11th instant, at 2 P.M., at the New Calf Vaccine Depôt,:Kanatta.

J. CRAIB. Colonial Surgeon, Western Province. Colombo, February 6, 1905.

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T is hereby notified for general information that the sand spit at the mouth of the Kelani-ganga, Mutwal, is the only place within the limits of the Port of Colombo at which pearl oysters brought from Marichchikkaddi may be landed during the forthcoming pearl fishery.

H. M. Customs, Colombo, February 3, 1905. W. H. JACKSON, Principal Collector.

The Ceylon Medical College.

MEDICAL AND APOTHECARY EXAMINATIONS.

THE Medical and Apothecary Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will commence on Monday, March 20, 1905.

All candidates are requested to forward their written applications, certificates, and fees to the Registrar on or before March 6 next.

January 10, 1905.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS, Registrar

The Ceylon Medical College.

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATIONS.

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January 10, 1905.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS, Registrar.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supply of Materials North-Western Profor supply of Materials, North-Western Province, will be received up to noon on Friday, March 24, 1905, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned

For supplying materials for the use of the Public Works Department, North-Western Province, within the towns and within the districts of Kurunegala, Dandugama, Puttalam, and Chilaw, during the year 1905, from April 1.

Tenderers may tender for all or any of the articles in

the following list :-

Arecanut trees, each.

Baskets, Madampe, 16 in diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, whole cane, per 100.
 Big basket for earthwork, 2 ft. diameter, 6 in. deep,

whole cane, per 100.

Bricks, 9 in. by 41 in. by 3 in., per 1,000. Blue, per lb.

Brooms, coir, each.

Coir string, per cwt.
Cadjans, not less than 6 ft. long, per 100, salt water.
Do. do. do. fresh water

Charcoal, per bushel. Cocoanut oil, per gallon.

Ceiling cloth, gray shirting, per yard.

Gunny bags, each, new.
Gunny bags, each, second-hand.
Indigo, per lb.
Jak scautlings, sawn, per cubic ft.

Jak planks, 2½ in., per 100 ft. square.

Do. 1½ in. do.

Do. 1¼ in. do.

Do. ½ in. do.

Do. ½ in. do.

Do. 1 in. do.
Do. 2 in. do.
Jak reepers, 2 in. by 1 in., per 1,000 lineal ft.
Do. 2 in. by 1 in. do.
Lime, boiled, per bushel of 92 lb.
Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42 lb.
Lime, Kalpitiya, per bushel.

Palmyra rafters, per 100 lineal ft.

Rice, raw, per quart. Straw, in bundles, per cwt.

Sugar, per lb.
Sandpaper, per sheet.
Tiles, half-round, 15 in., per 1,000.

Twine, Bengal, per lb.

Thread, cotton, per lb.

Tape, per yard. Tintacks, per lb

Vinegar, per bottle.

2. Each tender to give separate rates for materials

2. Each tender to give separate rates for materials delivered at each town and district.

3. Samples of articles marked (*) to be deposited with the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, labelled with the name of the tenderer on or before March

4. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, North Western Province, and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

5. The tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Kurunegala, or Director of Public Works, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

6. Parties applying for forms of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit a bond fide tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, or deposit the required cash security when called upon to do so, the sum of Rs. 50 will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated

Before a contract is entered into the sum of Rs. 150. will have to be deposited by the contractor as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the North-Western Province

that the Government is prepared to accept his tender...
8. The Government reserves to itself the right, with-

out question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

9. 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.

L. M. ACLAND. Provincial Engineer.

Provincial Engineer's Office, Kurunegala, January 31, 1905.

CEPARATE tenders will be received by the Hon. the Additor-General and the Provincial Engineer of the Western Province for (1) additions to the Medical Aid Hospital, Neboda, Western Province, and (2) stables for the Medical Officer, Neboda, Western Province, up to noon on Saturday, February 25, 1905.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for -

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

4. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

5. Parties applying for forms of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 25 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri and produce a receipt for the same. the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a bond fide tender or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 25 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages.

6. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office at Gunter House, Darley lane, Maradana, Colombo.

7. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of 10 per cent of the contract for the due and iaithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Western Province accepting his tender.

8. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

9. The time required for completion of work should be stated in the tenders.

W. Pole Fletcher, Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department Colombo, February 2, 1905.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon the Auditor-General and the Provincial Engineer of the Western Province for additions to the Medical Aid Hospital, Neboda, up to noon on Saturday, February 25, 1905.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for additions to the Medical Aid Hospital, Neboda, New Wards," &c.

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

4. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized from thus obtained.

5. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a bond fide tender or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages.

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8. The Government does not bind itself to accept the

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9. The time required for completion of work should be stated in the tenders.

W. Pole Fletcher, Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department Colombo, February 1, 1905.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Materials for the supplying Materials for the supplying Materials for the supplying the supply of for supplying Materials for the Salt Stores (A) at Hambantota and (B) at Kirinda during the year 1905," will be received up to noon on February 17, 1905, for supplying the materials enumerated below :-

Description of Materials.

			Per
Cadjans, new, and not less	than 6 ft. in	length	1,000
Coir yarn, dry, and of good	l quality	•••	cwt.
Cocoanut oil	•••	•••	gallon
Kerosine oil	• • •	•••	
Umang sticks, 18 ft. long	•••		100
Bata bamboos	•••	•••	10 0
Baskets (18 in. in diameter	, 7 in. deep)	•••	100

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Do. mango	1		
Chunam, boiled,	in cakes		100
Do. slaked		•	
	7.5		bushel
Coal tar	•••		gallon
Beams, halmilla,	3 in. by 4 in.		_
	d, 2 in by 12 in.		
Rafters, cocoanu	t, 2 in. by 4 in.		
	13 in by 2 in.		
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Wall sticks, galk	ulu, 12 ft. long, 12 in. circum-		
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Gunny bags, nev	7 (3 ft. by 2 ft.)		
Twine, Bengal,			•

Tenderers will note the following requirements:-

Cadjans and timber should be supplied within fifteen days of the service of orders therefor.

Every tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 20 in the Kachcheri before tendering. No tender will receive any consideration where no such deposit has been made. This deposit will be forfeited to Government if the tenderer is not prepared to enter into contract, or is unable to furnish certified security in Rs. 1,000 for the due fulfilment of the contract. The unforfeited deposits will be returned to the tenderer.

Every alteration in the rates of tender should be initialled by the tenderer.

A duplicate of tender should be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Hon. the Auditor-General, Colombo, at the same time that he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota

The tenderers should be at hand at the Kachcheri on the day of opening of tenders, so that they or any of them may be spoken to, if it is found necessary to do so. Government may accept or reject any tender.

> A. C. ALLNUTT, Assistant Government Agent.

Hambantota Kachcheri, February 3, 1905.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE following articles will be sold by public auction at the Government Stores at 12 noon on Eriday, February 17, 1905:--

Angers of sizes Iron blocks of sizes Iron bolts of sizes Bradawls Chisels of sizes Files of sizes Hammers Iron hinges of sizes Brass door locks of sizes Brass and iron padlocks

Belting Nails of sizes Paints and distemper of colours Quintanies Screws of sizes Screw plates Saws of sizes Wrenches of sizes, &c.

F. W. VANE, Controller of Government Stores.

Government Stores Colombo, February 7, 1905. WILL be sold by public auction at the Government Stores at 11.30 A.M. on Wednesday, the 15th instant, empty barrels, gunny bags, zinc lining, hoop iron, &c.

F. W. VANE, Controller of Government Stores.

Government Stores Colombo, February 6, 1905.

OTICE is hereby given that the following unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction at the Police Court of Colombo on Thursday, February 23, 1905, commencing at 12 o'clock noon :

2 packets tea l lamp 1 trunk 1 banian 1 ruler

3 cocoanuts 1 double-barrel gun Some crackers and bluelights 1 piece jute hessian 1 bag dhall

Police Court, Colombo, February 7, 1905. W. E. THORPE, Police Magistrate.

OTICE is hereby given that the following unclaimed articles belonging to the Police Department will be sold by public auction at the Police Headquarters, Maradana, on Wednesday, March 1, 1905, at 2 P.M.:-

8 umbrellas 1 ebony ruler 1 raincoat 2 pairs ladies' cotton stockings 1 lady's fan 2 ivory billiard balls 1 leather bag (small) 3 lead pipes 1 umbrella handle 2 empty bottles 1 prayer book 1 carriage lantern handle piece carriage braiding 1 fur mat 5 old leather belts 1 clock spring 1 pulley block copper charm 1 pair braces waterproof coat, yellow 1 flannel shirt 1 jinricksha mudguard 2 pieces cork gentlemen's pair slippers bottle sweets bottle sweets

1 black sailor cap white sailor cap 1 top hat 1 hat case 1 felt hat 1 golf stick 2 whips 3 box cigars 5 iron rods piece bent iron 2 footer jerseys 2 footer breeches 1 knee bandage 6 German silver bangles 2 German silver gilt bangles 1 brass necklace with a

pendant

2 brass ear studs

1 pair ear ornament

4 brass rings 1 brass nose ornament brass lota 1 brass small tray 2 crooked combs comb, common. 6 blue lights red handkerchief woollen shawl 1 black coat 4 belts, leather 1 arecanut cutter cannanore coat canvas bag 9 old umbrellas cushion cane mudguard straw hat 2 Oxford hats 2 black coats 1 lamp, punkah 1 shade 15 coloured handkerchiefs 82. Chinese lamps leather belt trowel iron tubes copper tubes broken spanner iron hammer small brass bell. pieces gas burners brass cup 4 sticks 1 cue pestle tiffin basket 6 plates 1 tea cup brass bangle 4 small wooden, boxes 2 locks, drawer 1 ruler 2 leather belts small mat bag 1 red shawl 1 rifle cover

1 elastic belt 3 coats shirt 3 banians 2 white cloths 1 oilcloth apron 1: bundle lead 1 iron tube 1 black lady's overcoat 1 spoon 1 fork 1 tea pruning knife

1 piece red cloth 1 brass chain and leather thong white handkerchief 1 red comboy cloth vatty cloth fly driver 1 mozaic gold compass: 1 red handkerchief 1 military cane 1 grass cutting knife

C. L. TRANCHELL, Superintendent of Police.

Colombo, February 2, 1905.

OTICE is hereby given that on Monday, March 13, 1905, at 12.30 P.M., the following buildings will be put up for sale by public auction at Divatalawa, viz,:—

Main building Barracks

formerly used as a Police. Station, Diyatalawa.

The purchaser will have to enter into an agreement to demolish the building, remove the materials, and clear

the site within fourteen days after the purchase.

2. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required from the purchaser as a security for the due fulfilment of the above agreement.

H. A. GRANT, Provincial Engineer.

Provincial Engineer's Office Badulla, February 1, 1905.

TOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles of the Colombo Division (Police) will be sold by public auction at the Police Headquarter, Maradana, on March 6, at 3 P.M.:-

2 barrels for cartridges 20 boxes for ammunition 14 cots, wooden 1 chair, arm 12 mops 20 oars, ashwood 1 rowlock, brass 1 trestle for table

1 yoke, brass 1 lot empty cartridge cases 6 pump fitting pieces. 2 hotch irons 14 window sashes 80 kerosine tins, empty. 9 balls, cricket

H. L. DOWBIGGIN, Superintendent of Police, Colombo.

Colombo, February 8, 1905.

CONTRACTS FOR SUPPLIES OF STORES.

Supplementary Contracts for Supplies of Stores, 1905.

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Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4 in. by 3 in.	•••	19: 7 5	•••	1,000	•••	A. R. A. Alagappa Chetty, No. 170 Sea street
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Government Stores Colombo, February 7, 1905.

F. W. VANE, Controller of Government, Stores.

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CEYLON GOVERNMENT RAILWAY CONTRACTS FOR 1905.

THE under-mentioned contracts for supplies, &c., during 1905 have been approved by the Government :—

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General Manager's Office, February 3, 1905.	•			G. P. GREENE, General Manager.

RE	TURN OF	RAIN				HTNON		ECEME	ER, 1904.
PROVINGE.	loitaté	s.	Height above Mean Sea Level, in Feet.	Total Rainfall during t h Month. Inches.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 Hours, in Inches.	Date on which the Greatest Quantity fell.	No.ofDays on which Bainfall was regis- tered.	Direction of Wind.	REMARKS
Western .	Negombo		6	3.80	3.05	10—11 1—2	5 9	S.W. N.E.	Mr. Nathanielsz
	Kalutara Labugama	•••	36 369	4.99	1.64			IV.E.	Mr. Drieberg Not received
	Henaratgoda	•••	33	_	_		 	N 79	Not received
entral .	· Katugastota New Valley (D	ikova)	1,500 3,700	9·17 5·11	3·50 2·08	17—18 11—12	10	N.E. N.E.	Mr. MacBride Mr. Caldicott
	Helboda (Pusse		3,300	9.98	2.58	17-18	14		Mr. Gosset
	Yarrow Estate Peradeniya	•••	3,500 1,540	12:14	3.52	1617 1819	11 9	N.E.	Mr. Vaughan Hughe Mr. MacMillan
	Duckwari	•••	3,300	8.05 17.78	2·72 6·32	16-17	17	Variable	Mr. Balasuriya
	Caledonia	•••	4,273	4.58	1.12	17—18	10 12		Mr. Armitage
	Pussellawa Hakgala	•••	3,000 5,581	11·07 13·58	2·95 2·60	1718 1617	19	Variable	Mr. Powell Mr. Nock
	S. Wanarajah I	Estate	3,700	5.55	1.87	10-11	.9	- N E	Mr. Jansz
	Padupola Mylapitiya	•••	1,636 1,707	6.14	1.60	17—18	10	N.E.	Mr. Caldicott Not received
	Aluta	•••	800		-			–	Not received
forthern .	Matale Mullaittivu	•••	12	15·54 33·87	3.67 15.00	16—17 17—18	14 6	N.W.	Mr. Livera Mr. Black
	Jaffna		. 8	14.63	4.27	1819	12	Variable	Mr. Waddell
	Mankulam (N. Elephant Pass	Road)	16 7 7	3·96 15·94	0·49 7·50	$24-25 \\ 17-18$	13 11	N.W. N.	Mr. Black Mr. Vanderstraaten
	Vangalachetty	knlam	179	10.15	4.30	17-18	5	N.E.	Mr. Wallbeoff
	Point Pedro Jaffna College	•••	24 9	11·52 11·80	3·58 3·50	17—18 17—18	9	N.E. N.E.	Mr. Danforth Mr. Cooke
	Kayts	•••	8	10.22	8.30	1819	10	N.E.	Mr. Smith
	Kankesanturai Pallai	• •••	10 2 4	6.07	1.88	18—19 17—18	7	N.E. N.E.	Mr. Chittampalam Mr. Vanderstraaten
	Murikandy (N.	C. Road)	7	13·10 20·96	5·60 6·80	18-19	9	N.E.	Mr. Vanderstraaten
	Nedunkeni Chavakachcher		1 22 16	30.35	11.00	16—17 17—18	7 10	N.W. N.E.	Mr. Black Mr. Vanderstraaten
	Marichchukado		14	$24.52 \\ 7.43$	7·48 2·35	1_{6-17}	9	N.E.	Mr. Nagamuttu
	Murungan Vavuniya		52 318	8.18	2.50	$16-17 \\ 16-17$	7	N.E.	Mr. Bradley
louthern			262	$\begin{array}{c} 18 \cdot 42 \\ 2 \cdot 92 \end{array}$	0.80 0.80	29-30	9 11		Mr. Black Mr. Silva
	Kekanadura		150 286	1.71	0.56	23 1314	8	=	Mr. Matu
	Denegama Udukiriwila	•••	235	8·30 3·49	3·10 1·00	45	8 11		Mr. Ratnepulle Mr. Silva
	Kirama Hali-ela		· 260 200	12.09	2.14	11-12	16		Mr. Johnpulle
	Tissa	•••	75	3·79 4·05	1·32 1·40	$29 - 30 \\ 16 - 17$	9 6	N.E.	Mr. Ludekens Mr. Spittel
	Matara		15 157	$3 \cdot 50$	1.50	34	10	S.W.	Mr. Morgan
	Dandeniya Urubokka	•••	890	$2 \cdot 96 \\ 5 \cdot 24$	0.59 1.50	$12-13 \\ 2-3$	12 11		Mr. Samarasingha Mr. Lauransz
	Tangalla		94	0.66	0.21	4—ŏ	6	S.W.	Mr. Leak
Eastern	Mamadola Irrakkamam		56 42	$\frac{3 \cdot 71}{20 \cdot 32}$	1·94 3·54	45 45	7 18		Mr. Devasagaiam Mr. Ragel
	Devilana		136	$18 \cdot 18$	5.29	16 - 17	17	_	Mr. Ponnampalam
	Sagamata Ambare	***	40 65	15·54 23·97	2·73 4·90	10—11 17—18	15 16	_	Mr. Mylvaganam Mr. Chellappah
	Kanthalai		150	14.74	2.60	2-3	14		Mr. Nagantherapull
	Allai Rukam		95 91	$16.87 \\ 26.23$	4·06 9·47	17.—18 17.—18	13 15		Mr. Sinniah Mr. Roy
	Periyakulam		20	10.83	3.40	16-17	15	,	Mr. Anthonisz
	Chadaiyantalav Kalmunai		57 12	$19.22 \\ 18.99$	2·73 2·70	17—18 17—18	14 19	N.E.	Mr. Stephen Mr. Robertson
	Rotawewa		30	17.26	3.50	4 ŏ	13		Mr. Augustine
	Lahugala Naulla		70 30	15:51 16:84	3.90 3.00	17—18 4—5	10	_	Mr. Augustine
	Andankulam		41	10.64	3.60	16-17	10 13	_	Mr. Augustine Mr. Anthonisz
	Manalpuddy		21 190	$34 \cdot 60$	6.70	16-17	11		Mr. Megal
	Maha-oya tank Potuvil	•••	10	$26.62 \\ 14.70$	9·61 2·80	$16-17 \\ 11-12$	12 11	E. N.E.	Mr. Herft Mr. Ponniyah
	Vakaneri	•••	80 120	$23 \cdot 13$	9.05	17-18	16		Mr. Harward
	Unnichchai Tumpankeni		-	24·99 16·39	7·57 4·27	17—18 16—17	17 19	N.E.	Mr. Morris Mr. Ponnampalam
forth-Western	Magalawewa		176	$5 \cdot 95$	2.00	17—18	7	Variable	Mr. Wadwail
	Maha Uswewa Tenepitiya	tank	160 8	$9.32 \\ 5.20$	2·50 1·40	20—21 16—17	13 6	E. N.E.	Mr. Silva Mr. Sanderatne
	Batalagoda		-	$9 \cdot 31$	3.26	16-17	10		Mr. Hirimutugoda
•	Dandagama Kurunegala	•••	400	$\frac{1.60}{8.27}$	0.90 2.66	4-5 16-17	4 14	N.W.	Mr. Kretser Mr. McMinn
forth-Central	Kalawewa		268	9.80	5.00	17—18	12	N.W.	Mr. Chellappah
	Maradankadaw Mihintale		443 354	$13.62 \\ 12.73$	5·35 4·45	17—18 17—18	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 11 \end{array}$	N.E. N.E.	Mr. Thuraisingham Mr. Moraes
	Horowapotana		214	15.25	5.30	18-19	12	N.E.	Mr. Moraes
	Madawachchiya Topare	а	$\begin{array}{c} 285 \\ 200 \end{array}$	22·50 20·05	3·50 5·96	16—17 17—18	13	N.E. N.E.	Mr. Moraes
•	Minneriya			17.75	5.80	17—18	13 17		Mr. Jayawardene Mr. Perkins
īva	Bandarawela		4,086	6.53	1.29	16—17	13	N.E.	Mr. Eves
	Haldummulla Kumbukan		3,160 446	7·47 9·73	1·18 1·55	11—12 17—18	12 15	N.E.	Mr. Carte Mr. Thambi Pillai
	Koslanda		2,258	5 · 45	1.25	22-23	10		Mr. Carte
	Tanamalwila Bibile		550 680	3.89	1.10	²⁶ —27	7	N.E.	Mr. Perera Not received
	Taldena		1,100	12.51	2.78	2-3	14	N.E.	Mr. Perera
Sabaragamuw	Alutnuwara Ambanpitiya	•••	500 729	22·18 3·35	5·00 1·70	17—18 16—17	12 3	N.E.	Mr. Wright Mr. Jonklaas
	Taran Surit Profit to							17.19.	
_	Pelmadulla Avisawella		480 105	1·04 6·65	0.42 3.40	23	5		Mr. Jeffrey Mr. Muttiah

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