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PROCLAMATION BY THE 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 the Right Honourable Sir J. WEST RIDGEWAY, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

WEST RIDGEWAY.

WHEREAS by section 4 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance," No. 25 of 1901, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, by Proclamation to be for that purpose published in the *Government Gazette*, to bring any town, district, province, or place under the operation of the said Ordinance, and to define the limits of such town, district, province, or place for the purposes of the said Ordinance:

And whereas it is expedient to bring the Municipality of Kandy, in the Central Province, under the operation of the said Ordinance:

Now therefore know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, under and by virtue of the powers in Us vested by the said section of the said Ordinance, do hereby as from and after the Fifteenth day of May, 1902, bring the Municipality of Kandy aforesaid under the operation of the said Ordinance, and define the limits of the said Municipality of Kandy for the purposes of the said Ordinance to be those set out in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

EVERARD IM THURN,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

North the Mahaweli-ganga; east the Mahaweli-ganga to a point 52 chains below the Lewella ferry, and thence a straight line drawn to the south-east corner of the Hermitage estate, thence along the eastern boundaries of the Hermitage and Fairieland estates (title plans 43,322 and 42,285); south and south-west the southern and western boundaries of the Fairieland estate, thence from the south-west corner of the Fairieland estate along the watershed of the basin of the Kandy waterworks reservoir to the eastern boundary of the land acquired for a conduit, thence along the eastern boundary of the said conduit to the Hal-oya, thence along the Hal-oya and a portion of the northern boundary of the Richmond Hill estate to the western boundary of the Borowadeniya or the Ambagahakumbura paddy fields, thence along the western boundary of the said fields to the Railway bridge over the Meda-ela to the west of the slaughter-house, thence along Meda-ela to the railway bridge over the Meda-ela at Getambe, thence along the southern boundary of the railway line to the Mahaweli-ganga; west the Mahaweli-ganga.

The Suburb of Katugastota.

Limits.—In length the portion of the high road lying between the 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ milestone on the Kandy-Galagedara road and the 3rd milepost on the Kandy-Panwila road and between the Pinga-oya bridge and the 3rd milestone on the Matala road; and in breadth one hundred yards on the north, south, and west of the said roads, and on the east up to the Mahaweli-ganga, and on the south-west of the Matala road up to the Pinga-oya.

PROCLAMATIONS BY THE LIEUT.-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 EVERARD FERDINAND IM THURN, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated the 12th March, 1900, the forest called Mandaklarkadu in the Punakari division of the Jaffna District, in the Northern Province, was declared a reserved forest under section 19 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1885," as amended by section 6 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1892, and the limits of the said forest were set forth in the schedule annexed to the said Proclamation:

Whereas under section 22 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1885," as amended by section 6 of the Ordinance of 1892, we are empowered to rescind or modify any order made under chapter II. of the said Ordinance within five years from the publication of any Proclamation under section 19:

And whereas it has been found that the villagers of Veravil, Ponnaveli, and Kiranchi of the Punakari division have a right to pasture their cattle in the lakes of Veravilkulam and Talavillu, comprised within the limits of the same reserve of Mandaklar, and which right was not acknowledged to them in the Proclamation above mentioned:

Now know all men that We, the said Lieutenant-Governor, do hereby by this our Proclamation continue to the said villagers a right of pasturing their cattle in the said lakes of Veravilkulam and Talavillu, comprised within the limits of the forest reserve called Mandaklar.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this First day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

R. W. LEVERS,
Acting 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 EVERARD FERDINAND IM THURN, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by the 1st section of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1866, intituled "An Ordinance to prevent the unnecessary destruction of Fish," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, from time to time by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, to prohibit the use of certain kinds of nets to be in such Proclamation specified, or to restrict their use in certain places, or to attach such conditions to their use as shall appear expedient to the Governor with the said advice :

And whereas it appears to Us expedient to prohibit the use of nets near the causeway and bridge at Elephant Pass in the Pallai and Karachchi divisions of the Jaffna District, of the Northern Province :

Now know Ye that We, the said Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Our Proclamation prohibit the use of casting nets and drag nets in the Jaffna lake within the distance of half a mile from the said causeway and bridge.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting 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 EVERARD FERDINAND IM THURN, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," it is, amongst other things, provided that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden by one of the Judges thereof or by a Commissioner of Assize duly appointed under the provisions of the said Ordinance for each of the Circuits into which the Island is divided, for the purposes of the administration of justice, for the hearing, trying, and determining all prosecutions which shall be commenced against any person for or in respect of any crime or offence or alleged crime or offence :

For the Southern Circuit, twice at least at Galle, and such other places in such Circuit as the Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges shall appoint, such Sessions commencing at Galle on the 25th day of April, and the 15th day of September, in every year :

And whereas by the said Ordinance it is also provided that it shall be competent for the Lieutenant-Governor, for sufficient reasons to him appearing, after previous consultation with the Judges, to alter the dates fixed by the said Ordinance for holding Criminal Sessions of the said Court at any of the places therein mentioned, and to fix any other date for the commencement thereof :

And whereas it appears to us expedient to alter as hereinafter mentioned the date fixed for holding the First Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court at Galle, viz., the 25th day of April :

Now know Ye that We, the said Lieutenant-Governor, for sufficient reason to Us appearing, and after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do hereby direct and appoint as follows :

(1) That the Sessions of the Supreme Court, appointed by the said Ordinance to be holden at Galle on the 25th day of April, shall commence to be holden this year at Galle on or about Tuesday, the Sixth day of May.

(2) That a Criminal Session of the said Court shall be holden at Matara, a place included in the said Southern Circuit in the month of June, 1902.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting 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 EVERARD FERDINAND IM THURN, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by section 4 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance, 1901," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by Proclamation to be for that purpose published in the *Government Gazette*, to bring any province, district, town, or place under the operation of the said Ordinance, and to define the limits of such province, district, town, or place for the purposes of the said Ordinance, and such Proclamation to amend, alter, or revoke as and whenever the Governor shall, with the like advice, determine :

And whereas it is expedient to bring the town of Puttalam in the North-Western Province, under the operation of the said Ordinance :

Now therefore know Ye that We, the said Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under and by virtue of the powers in Us vested by the said section of the said Ordinance, do hereby as from and after the 15th day of May, 1902, bring the town of Puttalam aforesaid under the operation of the said Ordinance, and define the limits of the said town for the purposes of the Ordinance to be those set out in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Thirtieth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Limits of the town of Puttalam.

North and north-west.—The road reservation of 30 links north of P. P. 1,375, and lots Nos. 140,289 and 103,238, the northern boundary of lot No. 84,842 and a straight line taken thence in a south-westerly direction past the north-west point of the bund of Nedurkulam tank to the lake.

East and north-east.—The road reservation east of lots Nos. 137,595, 62,616, 62,623, 53,327, 59,384, 62,611, 137,594, 62,610, and 59,383; the eastern boundaries of lots Nos. 59,380, 66,038, and 66,037, thence a line taken to meet the road reservation north of lot P. P. 1,375.

South and south-east.—A line taken due east from the lake to the 1st milepost on the Chilaw road, thence a line in a south-easterly direction to meet the road reservation south of lots Nos. 62,629, 62,619, 135,234, 135,235, 114,942, 114,941, 114,943, 58,701, 503, 146,288, and 137,595.

West.—The lake.

APPOINTMENTS, & c.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from the 5th May, 1902 :—

The Hon. F. C. MONCREIFF to act provisionally as Chief Justice of the Island of Ceylon during the absence on leave of the Hon. Mr. C. P. LAYARD.

Mr. JOSEPH GRENIER to act provisionally as a Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. H. A. LOOS to act as Crown Counsel for the Island, in place of Mr. J. H. TEMPLER, Acting Attorney-General, with effect from the 26th April.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from the 6th May, 1902 :—

Mr. H. O. FOX to the office of District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, and Visitor of the Prison at Batticaloa.

Mr. C. S. VAUGHAN to the office of Assistant at Kegalla to the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Superintendent of the Prison at Kegalla, Additional District Judge, Kegalla, Additional Superintendent of Police, Kegalla, Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Kegalla, and Visitor of the Post Offices in the District of Kegalla.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

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

Mr. A. DE A. SENEVIRATNE to act as Additional District Judge, Kegalla, in addition to his duties as Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala.

Mr. W. E. THORPE to be Additional Police Magistrate, Hambantota, for 3rd May, in addition to his own duties as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Matara.

Mr. T. J. COOKE, Crown Proctor, Chilaw, to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Chilaw, from the 28th April to 1st May, during the absence of Mr. W. DE LIVERA from the station, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from the 15th May, 1902:—

Mr. W. A. G. HOOD to the office of Office Assistant at Batticaloa to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Batticaloa, and Assistant Collector of Customs, Batticaloa.

Mr. J. CONROY to the office of Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala.

Mr. W. A. WEEREKOON to act in the office of Office Assistant at Kurunegala to the Government Agent, North-Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. A. LEGGE to be Master Attendant,

Colombo, in succession to Captain J. DONNAN, retired, with effect from the 1st May, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 30, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 10 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1863, to nominate Mr. JOHN A. LEGGE, Master Attendant, Colombo, to be Examiner of Masters and Mates of coastwise and foreign-going ships, *vice* Captain J. DONNAN.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. H. B. COCKBURN to be a Member of the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, for the year 1902.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. FREDERICK LEWIS, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Western Province, to be a Member of the Provincial Road Committee, Western Province, *vice* Mr. J. B. M. RIDOUT, who has left the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. EDMUND SCOTT as a Visitor to the Kurunegala Hospital.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 17 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1873, to appoint Mr. R. B. HELINGS to be a Visitor of the Lunatic Asylum, in place of Mr. W. H. MOOR.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 30, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. WILLIAM HERMON as a Visitor to the Polgahawela Dispensary.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, in terms of section 10 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, to nominate Mr. PESTONJEE DINSHAW KHAN as a Member of the Municipal Council, Colombo, *vice* Mr. A. DE A. SENEVIRATNE, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,
EVERARD IM THURN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 21, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JOHN DAVID PERERA, Mudaliyar of the Governor's Gate, to act as Maha Mudaliyar during the absence of Mr. DON SOLOMON DIAS BANDARANAIKE from the Island.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. A. AMARASEKERA, Kacheheri Mudaliyar, Anuradhapura, to be an Inquirer under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code," 1898, for the North-Central Province.

By His Excellency's command,
EVERARD IM THURN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint VELANTHER SYLVESTER, Udiyar of Chinnacheddikulam east, to be an Inquirer for Chinnacheddikulam east in the Northern Province, *vice* S. ANTONIPILLAI, retired.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. SUSEPULLE MUDALIYAR PHILLIPS VANDERKONE, the Mudaliyar of Kalpitiya, to be an Inquirer for the division of Kalpitiya in Puttalam District, North-Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 25, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. G. W. GUNAWARDANA, of Kalahe, to be an Inquirer for Talpe pattu in the Southern Province.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 30, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. A. AMARASEKERA, Kacheheri Mudaliyar, Anuradhapura, under section 4 of the Ordinance No. 18 of 1894, to be an Inspector of Explosives for the North-Central Province.

By His Excellency's command,
EVERARD IM THURN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. A. AMARASEKERA, Kacheheri Mudaliyar, Anuradhapura, to be an Inspector of Coaches for the North-Central Province under the provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1901.

By His Excellency's command,
EVERARD IM THURN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DON JOSEPH LEWIS JAYAWEERA PANDITERATNE, of Colombo, to be a Notary Public throughout Weligam korale of the District of Matara, with residence and office at Akuressa, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. G. F. PLANT to be additional Assistant Provincial Registrar under section 5 (1) of the Ordinances Nos. 1 and 2 of 1895, of the Galle District in the Southern Province, with effect from 1st May, 1902.

Mr. D. J. JAYATILLEKA, Proctor, Supreme Court, to act as Registrar of Lands, Ratnapura, for three weeks and three days from 1st May, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. E. J. WIJEYASINGHE, on leave.

Mr. SANDARASEGARA MUDALIYAR ARUNASALAMPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udayaur division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, with effect from 23rd April, 1902, *vice* A. VINASITAMBY, dismissed. His office to be at Sundara Maniyar's House in Parantan.

DON CHARLES GUNASEKERA WELLAPPULI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walasmulla Upper division, and as Registrar of Marriages of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for eight weeks and four days from 1st May, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CAROLIS GUNASEKERA WELLAPPULI, on leave. His office will be at Galabendihera at Walasmulla.

Mr. F. N. DANIELS, Proctor, Kurunegala, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kurunegala, for two weeks from 9th May, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. A. S. ABEWICKREMA, on leave.

Dr. A. CHINNIAN to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Batticaloa town, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from 2nd May, 1902, *vice* Dr. S. HALLOCK, transferred. His office to be at the Civil Hospital, Batticaloa.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, April 30, 1902.

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 Dr. E. N. SCHOKMAN to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths

of Moratuwa town, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for the 28th April, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. P. WIJETILLEKA, on leave. His office will be at Mayiyakkawatta in Moratuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed WIJERATNE MUDIYANSELAGE UKKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Deyaladhammuna pattuwa division, and as Registrar of General Marriages of Galboda and Kinigoda korales division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirty days from 5th May, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, W. M. DINGIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Nikatennewatta in Puwakdeniya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed Dr. C. PEIRIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panadure Town, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from 28th April, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. C. P. FONSEKA. His office will be at Panadure Hospital.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON TIYADORIS WIJESEKERA HAANTI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Beralapanatara division, and as Registrar of Marriages of the Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for eleven days from 6th May, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. M. GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Dampahala, Beralapanatara.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed J. S. CLEMENT to act as Registrar of Marriages of the Mannar Island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for three days from 21st April, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, J. MANUEL, on leave. His office will be at Udaiyar Valavu in Pesalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Dr. R. C. LEENIKUDDY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar town, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from 24th April, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, S. T. G. DANFORTH, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Mannar.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 30, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that under section 9 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1888, His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint June 26, 27, and 28 to be observed as public holidays in connection with the Coronation of His Majesty King Edward the Seventh.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the regulations dated the 24th November, 1900, 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 30th November, 1900, it is hereby declared that the port of Ratnagiri, in the Ratnagiri District, Bombay Presidency, is a plague-infected port.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. A. G. TISSERA	... A Class Fireman, Ceylon Government Railways	... Northern Railway Extension.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 25, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to section 2 of the Regulations for the Forest Service Branch of the Royal Indian Engineering College, Cooper's Hill, for 1902, published in the *Gazette* of 21st February, 1902, it is hereby notified that the number of appointments to be offered for competition at the examination for the Indian Forest Service in 1902, has been increased from seven to eight.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the notification dated 31st December, 1901, published in the *Gazette* of the 10th January, 1902, it is hereby notified that the form of declaration in the Permit to land in South Africa has been amended as follows:—

I declare that I am a ——— subject and that I am proceeding to South Africa on the business, or for the purpose stated above; that I have not been deported from that country or sent home as indigent or in any way at the expense of the British Government, and that I have never been a burgher or taken out burgher rights in the late South African Republic or Orange Free State. I also declare that I am in possession of £100 (or in a position to maintain myself on arrival in South Africa), and further that I have not assisted, and will not directly or indirectly assist, in any way whatsoever, His Majesty's enemies in South Africa, and that I am aware of the penalties of so doing under Martial Law.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified for general information that special license, 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, has been granted to the under-mentioned gentleman for the purpose of issuing certificates to any persons having control of any boiler or boilers used in any factory:—

Mr. ARTHUR J. C. BROOKES.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

THE following copy of a Circular Despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, together with the Order of His Majesty the King in Council dated 6th March, 1902, bringing into operation as from the 17th March, 1902, a Treaty between His Britannic Majesty and His Majesty the King of the Belgians for the mutual extradition of Criminals, is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Right Hon. J. CHAMBERLAIN, M.P., to Governor the Right Hon. Sir J. WEST
RIDGEWAY, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., K.C.S.I.

Circular.

Downing street, March 27, 1902.

SIR,—I HAVE the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the Colony under your Government, a copy of an Order of His Majesty the King in Council, dated the 6th of March, 1902, bringing into operation as from the 17th instant, a Treaty between His Britannic Majesty and His Majesty the King of the Belgians for the mutual extradition of Criminals, which was signed at Brussels on the 29th of October, 1901, and of which the ratifications were exchanged at that City on the 6th of December, 1901.

I have, &c.,

J. CHAMBERLAIN.

Order in Council.

BELGIAN EXTRADITION TREATY.

Saint James's, 6th March, 1902.

At the Court at Saint James's the 6th day of March, 1902.

Present.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.
Earl of Kintore.

Lord James of Hereford.
Sir Arthur Wilson.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1895, it is amongst other things enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that His Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of His Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient.

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the Twenty-ninth day of October, One thousand Nine hundred and One, between His Majesty and His Majesty the King of the Belgians for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Emperor of India, and His Majesty the King of the Belgians, having mutually resolved to conclude a new Treaty for the extradition of criminals, the said High Contracting Parties have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose, that is to say:—

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Emperor of India, Constantine Phipps, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, His Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of the Belgians; and

His Majesty the King of the Belgians, the Baron de Favereau, Knight of His Order of Leopold, Member of the Senate, His Minister of Foreign Affairs:

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:—

ARTICLE I.

It is agreed that His Britannic Majesty and His Majesty the King of the Belgians shall, on requisition made in their name by their respective Diplomatic Agents, deliver up to each other reciprocally, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty, any persons who, being accused or convicted, as principals or accessories of any of the crimes hereinafter specified, committed within the territories of the requiring party, shall be found within the territories of the other party:—

1. Murder (including assassination, parricide, infanticide, poisoning), or attempt, or conspiracy to murder, in cases jointly provided for by the laws of the two countries.
2. Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of women.
3. Manslaughter.
4. Bigamy.
- 5.—(a) Counterfeiting or altering money, or uttering counterfeit or altered money.
- (b) Knowingly making, without lawful authority, any instrument, tool, or engine adopted and intended for the counterfeiting of the coin of the Realm.
6. Abandoning children, exposing or unlawfully detaining them.
7. Forgery, counterfeiting or altering or uttering what is forged, or counterfeited, or altered.
8. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger persons in a railway train.
9. Embezzlement or larceny.
10. Receiving any chattel, money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been embezzled, stolen, or feloniously obtained.
11. Obtaining money, goods, or valuable securities by false pretences.
12. Crimes by bankrupts against bankruptcy law.

13. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director, or member or public officer of any Company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force.

14. Rape.

Carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have carnal knowledge, of a girl under 16 years of age, so far as such acts are punishable by the law of the State upon which the demand is made.

Indecent assault. Indecent assault without violence upon children of either sex under 13 years of age.

15. Abduction.

16. Child-stealing.

17. Kidnapping and false imprisonment.

18. Burglary or housebreaking.

19. Arson.

20. Robbery with violence (including intimidation).

21. Threats by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort.

22. Piracy by law of nations.

23. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting or conspiring to do so.

24. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas with intent to destroy life or to do grievous bodily harm.

25. Revolt or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas against the authority of the master.

26. Perjury and subornation of perjury.

27. Malicious injury to property, if the offence be indictable.

28. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm. Malicious wounding, or inflicting grievous bodily harm.

29. Offences in connection with the Slave Trade punishable by the laws of both States.

Provided that the surrender shall be made only when, in the case of a person accused, the commission of the crime shall be so established as that the laws of the country where the fugitive or person accused shall be found would justify his apprehension and commitment for trial if the crime had been there committed, and in the case of a person alleged to have been convicted, on such evidence as, according to the laws of the country where he is found, would prove that he had been convicted.

In no case can the surrender be made unless the crime shall be punishable according to the laws in force in both countries with regard to extradition.

In no case, nor on any consideration whatever, shall the High Contracting Parties be bound to surrender their own subjects, whether by birth or naturalization.

ARTICLE II.

In the dominions of His Britannic Majesty, other than the Colonies or foreign possessions of His Majesty, the manner of proceeding shall be as follows:—

1. In the case of a person accused—

The requisition for the surrender shall be made to His Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the Minister or other Diplomatic Agent of His Majesty the King of the Belgians, accompanied by a warrant of arrest or other equivalent judicial document issued by a Judge or Magistrate duly authorized to take cognizance of the acts charged against the accused in Belgium, together with duly authenticated depositions or statements taken on oath or upon solemn affirmation before such Judge or Magistrate, clearly setting forth the said acts, and containing a description of the person claimed, and any particulars which may serve to identify him.

The said Secretary of State shall transmit such documents to His Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, who shall then, by order under his hand and seal, signify to some Police Magistrate in London that such requisition has been made, and require him, if there be due cause, to issue his warrant for the apprehension of the fugitive.

On the receipt of such order from the Secretary of State, and on the production of such evidence as would, in the opinion of the Magistrate, justify the issue of the warrant if the crime had been committed in the United Kingdom, he shall issue his warrant accordingly.

When the fugitive shall have been apprehended, he shall be brought before a competent Magistrate. If the evidence to be then produced shall be such as to justify, according to the law of England, the committal for trial of the prisoner, if the crime of which he is accused had been committed in England, the Magistrate shall commit him to prison to await the warrant of the Secretary of State for his surrender, sending immediately to the Secretary of State a certificate of the committal and a report upon the case.

After the expiration of a period from the committal of the prisoner, which shall never be less than fifteen days, the Secretary of State shall by order under his hand and seal, order the fugitive criminal to be surrendered to such person as may be duly authorized to receive him on the part of the Government of His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

2. In the case of a person convicted—

The course of proceeding shall be the same as in the case of a person accused, except that the warrant to be transmitted by the Minister or other Diplomatic Agent in support of his requisition shall clearly set forth the crime of which the person claimed has been convicted, and state the fact, place, and date of his conviction. The evidence to be produced before the Magistrate shall be such as would, according to the law of England, prove that the prisoner was convicted of the crime charged.

After the Magistrate shall have committed the accused or convicted person to prison to await the order of a Secretary of State for his surrender, such person shall have the right to apply for a

writ of habeas corpus: if he should so apply, his surrender must be deferred until after the decision of the Court upon the return to the writ, and even then can only take place if the decision is adverse to the applicant.

ARTICLE III.

In the dominions of His Majesty the King of the Belgians, other than the Colonies or foreign possessions of His said Majesty, the manner of proceeding shall be as follows:—

1. In the case of a person accused—

The requisition for the surrender shall be made to the Minister for Foreign Affairs of His Majesty the King of the Belgians by the Minister or other Diplomatic Agent of His Britannic Majesty, accompanied by a warrant of arrest or other equivalent judicial document issued by a Judge or Magistrate duly authorized to take cognizance of the acts charged against the accused in Great Britain, together with duly authenticated depositions or statements taken on oath or upon solemn affirmation before such Judge or Magistrate, clearly setting forth the said acts, and containing a description of the person claimed, and any other particulars which may serve to identify him.

The Minister for Foreign Affairs shall transmit the warrant of arrest, with the documents thereto annexed, to the Minister of Justice, who shall forward the same to the proper judicial authority, in order that the warrant of arrest may be put in course of execution by the Chamber of the Council (*Chambre du Conseil*) of the Court of First Instance of the place of residence of the accused, or of the place where he may be found.

The foreigner may claim to be provisionally set at liberty in any case in which a Belgian enjoys that right, and under the same conditions.

The application shall be submitted to the Chamber of the Council (*Chambre du Conseil*).

The Government will take the opinion of the Chamber of Indictments or Investigation (*Chambre des Mises en Accusation*) of the Court of Appeal within whose jurisdiction the foreigner shall have been arrested.

The hearing of the case shall be public, unless the foreigner should demand that it should be with closed doors.

The public authorities and the foreigner shall be heard. The latter may obtain the assistance of counsel.

Within a fortnight from the receipt of the documents they shall be returned, with a reasoned opinion, to the Minister of Justice, who shall decide and may order that the accused be delivered to the person duly authorized on the part of the Government of His Britannic Majesty.

2. In case of a person convicted—

The course of proceeding shall be the same as in the case of a person accused, except that the conviction or sentence of condemnation issued in original, or in an authenticated copy, to be transmitted by the Minister or other Diplomatic Agent in support of his requisition, shall clearly set forth the crime of which the person claimed has been convicted, and state the fact, place, and date of his conviction. The evidence to be produced shall be such as would, according to the Belgian laws, prove that the prisoner was convicted of the crime charged.

ARTICLE IV.

A fugitive criminal may, however, be apprehended under a warrant signed by any Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or other competent authority in either country, on such information or complaint, and such evidence, or after such proceedings as would, in the opinion of the person issuing the warrant, justify the issue of a warrant if the crime had been committed or the prisoner convicted in that part of the dominions of the two contracting parties in which he exercises jurisdiction: Provided, however, that, in the United Kingdom, the accused shall, in such case, be sent as speedily as possible before a competent Magistrate. He shall be discharged, as well in the United Kingdom, as in Belgium, if within fourteen days a requisition shall not have been made for his surrender by the Diplomatic Agent of the requiring State in the manner directed by Articles II. and III. of this Treaty.

The same rule shall apply to the cases of persons accused or convicted of any of the crimes specified in this Treaty, and committed on the high seas on board any vessel of either country which may come into a port of the other.

ARTICLE V.

If within two months, counting from the date of arrest, sufficient evidence for the extradition shall not have been presented, the person arrested shall be set at liberty if, within two months of the day on which he was placed at the disposal of the Diplomatic Agent, he shall not have been sent off to the reclaiming country.

ARTICLE VI.

When any person shall have been surrendered by either of the High Contracting Parties to the other, such person shall not, until he has been restored, or had an opportunity of returning to the country from whence he was surrendered, be triable or tried for any offence committed in the other country prior to the surrender, other than the particular offence on account of which he was surrendered.

ARTICLE VII.

No accused or convicted person shall be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded shall be deemed by the party upon which it is made to be a political offence, or to be an act connected with (*connexe à*) such an offence, or if he prove to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, or of the Court before which he is brought on habeas corpus, or to the Secretary of State, that the requisition for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or to punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VIII.

Warrants, depositions, or statements on oath issued or taken in the dominions of either of the two High Contracting Parties, and copies thereof, and certificates of or judicial documents stating the fact of conviction, shall be received in evidence in proceedings in the dominions of the other, if purporting to be signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the country where they were issued or taken :

Provided such warrants, depositions, statements, copies, certificates, and judicial documents are authenticated by the oath or solemn affirmation of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of State.

ARTICLE IX.

The surrender shall not take place if, since the commission of the acts charged, the accusation, or the conviction, exemption from prosecution or punishment, has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the country where the accused shall have taken refuge.

ARTICLE X.

If the individual claimed by one of the two High Contracting Parties in pursuance of the present Treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers, on account of other crimes committed upon their respective territories, his surrender shall be granted to that State whose demand is earliest in date ; unless any other arrangement should be made between the Governments which have claimed him, either on account of the gravity of the crimes committed, or for any other reasons.

ARTICLE XI.

If the individual claimed should be under process, or condemned by the Courts of the country where he has taken refuge, his surrender may be deferred until he shall have been set at liberty in due course of law.

In case he should be proceeded against or detained in such country on account of obligations contracted towards private individuals, his surrender shall, nevertheless, take place, the injured party retaining his right to prosecute his claims before the competent authority.

ARTICLE XII.

Every article found in the possession of the individual claimed at the time of his arrest shall, if the competent authority so decide, be seized, in order to be delivered up with his person at the time when the surrender shall be made. Such delivery shall not be limited to the property or articles obtained by stealing or by fraudulent bankruptcy, but shall extend to everything that may serve as proof of the crime. It shall take place even when the surrender, after having been ordered, shall be prevented from taking place by reason of the escape or death of the individual claimed.

The rights of third parties with regard to the said property or articles are, nevertheless, reserved.

ARTICLE XIII.

Each of the High Contracting Parties shall defray the expenses occasioned by the arrest within its territories, the detention, and the conveyance to its frontier, of the persons whom it may consent to surrender in pursuance of the present Treaty.

ARTICLE XIV.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign possessions of the two High Contracting Parties.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in a Colony or foreign possession of either Party shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such Colony or possession by the chief Consular Officer of the other in such Colony or possession ; or, if the fugitive has escaped from a Colony or foreign possession of the Party on whose behalf the requisition is made, by the Governor or chief authority of such Colony or possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provisions of this Treaty, by the respective Governors or chief authorities, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to their Government.

His Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of Belgian criminals, who may there take refuge, on the basis as nearly as may be of the provisions of the present Treaty.

ARTICLE XV.

The present Treaty shall come into operation ten days after its publication, in conformity with the laws of the respective countries.

From the day when the present Treaty shall come into force, the Treaty of Extradition between the two countries of the 20th May, 1876 ; the declaration between the British and Belgian Governments, dated the 23rd July, 1877, extending the Treaty of 20th May, 1876, to certain additional crimes ; the further Declaration of the 21st April, 1887, amending Article I. of the Treaty of the 20th May, 1876 ; and the Convention of the 27th August, 1896, further amending the Treaty of the 20th May, 1876, shall all cease to have effect ; but the present Treaty shall apply to all crimes within the Treaty whether committed before or after the day when it comes into force.

Either Party may at any time terminate the Treaty on giving to the other six months' notice of its intention.

ARTICLE XVI.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Brussels as soon as may be within six weeks from the date of signature.

In witness whereof, the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seals of their arms.

Done at Brussels, the Twenty-ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and One.

(L.S.) CONSTANTINE PHIPPS.
(L.S.) FAVEREAU.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at Brussels on the Sixth day of December, One thousand Nine hundred and One.

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Him by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the Seventeenth day of March, One thousand Nine hundred and Two, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Belgium, and of the said Treaty with Belgium.

Provided always that the operation of the said Acts shall be and remain suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as an Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in One thousand Eight hundred and Eighty-six, and entitled "An Act respecting the Extradition of Fugitive Criminals," shall continue in force there, and no longer.

A. W. FITZROY.

IT is hereby notified for general information that 14,491A. 3R. 13P. of surveyed lands are available for sale or settlement in the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 21, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
EVERARD IM THURN,
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 lands.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 5, 1901.

By His Excellency's command,
W. T. TAYLOR,
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Dravidian Comparative Grammar ...	13 0
Glossary of Native Words occurring in Official Documents (second edition) ...	0 50
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Customs Tariff ...	0 10
Index to Customs Tariff ...	0 25
Customs Regulations ...	0 25
Rules of the Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association ...	0 10
Tables for calculating Pensions under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund ...	0 25
Exchange Compensation Tables ...	0 50
Headman's Act Book (English) ...	1 0
Do. (Sinhalese) ...	1 0

Application for any publication in the above List should be made to the *Government Recordkeeper*, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, and should be accompanied by payment in advance.

Payment should be made by Post Office Order, Government Draft, or Cheque on a Colombo Bank. *Stamps will not be accepted in payment.*

A. G. CLAYTON,
Government Recordkeeper.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November, 1901.

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

The Subscription, Rs. 3 per quarter, is payable in advance to the Government Printer, and can only be booked to terminate at the end of a quarter.

Single copies, when available, 25 cents each.

Charges for approved Advertisements, payable in advance.

	Rs.	c.
A column ...	7	50
Two-thirds of a column ...	5	0
Half a column ...	4	0
For small notices not exceeding 20 lines (9 words as a rule to the line) ...	2	50

Second and third insertions (consecutive), two-thirds and one-half, respectively, of the above rates. Cheques on outstation Banks must include usual Bank commission.

Advertisements should reach the Government Printer before noon on *Thursday*.

THE NEW LAW REPORTS, issued by authority. Subscription, Rs. 10 per volume of twelve Parts and Digest, payable in advance to the Government Printer. Volumes I., II., III., and IV. are available for sale at the Government Printing Office, price Rs. 10 unbound, or Rs. 12-60 per volume bound in full leather.

Back Numbers and Volumes of **THE SUPREME COURT CIRCULAR** (publication of which was discontinued on December 31, 1891) are also on sale at the Government Printing Office, as follows:—

	Rs.	c.
Volume I., unbound ...	3	25
Volumes II. to IX., unbound, each ...	6	50
Separate Numbers, each ...	0	25

For all other Government Publications application should be made to the Government Recordkeeper, Colonia Secretary's Office, Colombo.

H. C. COTTLE,
Acting Government Printer.

THE "KEW BULLETIN" of miscellaneous information is issued as an occasional publication from the Royal Gardens at Kew.

It contains notes on the economic products of plants which have been made the subject of particular study and investigation at Kew, and it is intended to be a means of communication to persons interested in Botanical subjects and products in India and the Colonies.

The "Bulletin" is published in London by Messrs. Eyre & Spottiswoode, East Harding street, Fleet street, E.C., and 32, Abingdon street, S.W., and it may be obtained directly from them or through any bookseller.

Price 4d. per copy. By post, 5d. per copy.

Back numbers, previous to January, 1893, 2d. per copy when available.

The price of the Annual Volume of the "KEW BULLETIN" for each year, with rates of postage, is as follows:—

Price.	Price including Postage.	
	United Kingdom.	Foreign and Colonial.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
3 0	3 4½	3 6½

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

The Index to the first five volumes, being Appendix IV., 1891, may be had separately, price 3d.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November, 1901.

STATEMENT of the Account of the Commissioners of Currency for the Month ended March 31, 1902, required by section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884 :—

CIRCULATION.		In Gold.		In Silver.		Value.	
Currency notes in circulation on March 31, 1902		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
						10,023,200	0
RESERVE.		In Gold.		In Silver.		In Securities.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
By gold £8,450 in sovereigns at Rs. 15 a sovereign		126,750	0	—	—	—	—
By silver in the vault (6 cents copper)		—	—	2,881,609	56	—	—
By investments made by the Crown Agents according to the annexed statements (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), and (i)		—	—	—	—	3,507,486	2
By investments made in Indian Government paper, according to the annexed statement (j)		—	—	—	—	3,507,354	44
		126,750	0	2,881,609	56	7,014,840	46
						Total	10,023,200 2

EVERARD IM THURN, Colonial Secretary,
 C. A. MURRAY, Acting Treasurer, and Acting Auditor-General, } Currency Commissioners.

Value of the Securities calculated at the latest known Market Prices of February, 1902.

Cost.	Stock Held.	Description.	Latest known Market Prices of Feb. 1902.	Brokers	Nett Price.	Value.	Nett Value.
Rs. c.	£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.
(a) 599,288 0	3,290 4 7	Cape 4 per cent. Consolidated Stock	108	107½	3,545 4 4		
	5,500 0 0	Canada Dominion 5 per cent. Debentures	103	102½	5,651 5 0		
	6,200 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	107	106½	6,618 10 0		
	8,267 18 7	Do. 3 do. Stock	101	100½	8,329 18 9		
	2,918 11 10	South Australia 4 do. do.	108	107½	3,144 15 6		
	1,019 1 8	Queensland 3½ do. do.	104	103½	1,057 5 11		
	4,313 7 5	New South Wales 3½ do. do.	106	105½	4,561 7 9		
	3,601 7 11	Do. 3½ do. Inscribed Stock	106	105½	3,808 9 5		
	100 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	116	115½	115 15 0		
	100 0 0	Do. 4 do. Debentures	102½	102½	102 5 0		
(b) 292,708 50	8,600 0 0	Do. 5 do. do.	101	100½	8,664 10 0		
	8,000 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	102½	102½	8,180 0 0		
	1,603 6 3	Victoria 3 do. Stock	96½	96½	1,543 3 10		
	6,914 16 10	Do. 3 do. do.	96½	96½	6,655 10 9		
(c) 299,994 0	6,400 0 0	Canada Dominion 4 do. Debentures	107	106½	6,832 0 0		
	5,000 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	107	106½	5,337 10 0		
	5,000 0 0	South Australia 4 do. do.	105	104½	5,237 10 0		
	4,600 0 0	New Zealand 4 do. Stock	112	111½	5,140 10 0		
(d) 88,000 0	5,000 0 0	Victoria 4½ do. Debentures	102	101½	5,087 10 0		
	5,653 12 2	Do. 4 do. Inscribed Stock	102	101½	5,752 10 10		
	11,732 17 2	Do. 3½ do. do.	104	103½	12,172 16 9		
	13,277 0 5	South Australia 3½ do. do.	104	103½	13,774 18 1		
(e) 1,000,000 0	9,844 14 4	New South Wales 3½ do. do.	106	105½	9,882 0 8		
	10,694 19 6	Cape 3½ do. do.	103	102½	10,989 1 8		
	10,000 0 0	Canada Dominion 3 do. do.	101	100½	10,075 0 0		
	10,124 12 3	New Zealand 3½ do. do.	105	104½	10,605 10 7		
(f) 215,332 58	3,145 9 1	Do. 3½ do. do.	105	104½	3,294 17 2		
	2,053 17 9	New South Wales 3½ do. do.	106	105½	2,171 19 8		
	5,167 18 8	Consols 2½ do.	94½	94½	4,883 13 11		
	3,629 15 0	Local Loans 3 do. Stock	100½	100½	3,638 16 5		
(g) 300,000 0	5,629 16 10	Queensland 3½ do. do.	104	103½	5,840 19 2		
	10,705 8 9	South Australia 3½ do. do.	104	103½	11,106 17 9		
(h) 212,167 94	13,641 9 0	Local Loans 3 do. do.	100½	100½	13,675 11 0		
	5,242 8 3	South Australia 3 do. do.	94	93½	4,914 15 3		
(i) 500,000 0	5,174 11 11	New Zealand 3 do. do.	95	94½	4,902 18 7		
	5,174 11 11	Natal 3 do. do.	93½	93½	4,825 6 2		
	8,322 9 0	Victoria 3 do. do.	96½	96½	8,010 7 2		
	5,089 4 2	Queensland 3 do. do.	95	94½	4,822 0 6		
	5,446 7 4	Consols	94½	94½	5,146 16 4		
3,507,486 2	235,679 18 7		Market Price of Mar. 31, 1902.			240,099 18 11 at exchange 1s. 4d. per rupee	
(j) 3,507,354 44	Rs. c. 3,530,000 0	Indian Securities	96½	96		Rs. c. 3,601,499 19	
7,014,840 46						3,404,243 75	
					Present value of Securities	7,005,742 94	
					Original cost of Securities	7,014,840 46	
					Difference in favour of present value—	—	
					(or—about per cent. of Investments)	—	

Depreciation Fund Investments.

Cost.	Stock Held.	Description.	Latest known Market Prices of Feb. 1902.	Brokerage.	Nett Price.	Value.	Nett Value.
Rs. c.	£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.
13,390 55	837 16 9	Cape Consolidated Stock	108	107 ³ / ₄	902 15 3		
13,107 1	837 2 1	New South Wales 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock	116	115 ³ / ₄	968 18 11		
27,797 12	1,637 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	116	115 ³ / ₄	1,894 16 6		
35,336 50	2,259 13 7	Do. 3 ¹ / ₂ do. do.	106	105 ³ / ₄	2,389 12 1		
12,737 15	957 1 2	Canada Dominion 3 do. do.	101	100 ³ / ₄	964 4 8		
32,206 36	1,878 3 1	Do. 3 do. do.	101	100 ³ / ₄	1,892 4 9		
12,246 0	914 8 6	Victoria 3 ¹ / ₂ do. do.	104	103 ³ / ₄	948 14 3		
27,944 78	1,892 5 4	Do. 3 ¹ / ₂ do. do.	104	103 ³ / ₄	1,963 4 5		
13,776 75	966 15 3	South Australia 3 ¹ / ₂ do. do.	104	103 ³ / ₄	1,003 0 3		
28,676 96	1,763 0 1	New Zealand 3 ¹ / ₂ do. do.	105	104 ³ / ₄	1,846 14 10		
32,605 7	1,747 18 2	Queensland 3 ¹ / ₂ do. do.	104	103 ³ / ₄	1,813 9 0		
27,897 23	1,951 3 0	Natal 3 do. do.	93 ¹ / ₂	93 ¹ / ₂	1,819 8 11	18,407 3 10	
	17,642 7 0						at exchange 1s. 4d. per rupee
	Rs. c.	Indian Securities					Rs. c. 276,107 88
59,998 62	60,000 0	Do.					
36,582 48	37,000 0	Do.					
48,000 0	48,000 0	Do.					
56,373 68	54,000 0	Do.	Market Price of Mar. 31, 1902.				
52,659 73	49,500 0	Do.					
86,399 51	84,800 0	Do.					
64,430 0	68,000 0	Do.					
	401,300 0	Do.	96 ¹ / ₈	96 ⁷ / ₈		387,003 68	
							Present value of Securities = 663,111 56
							Original cost of Securities = 682,165 50
							Difference in favour of present value = —
							(or about—per cent. of Investments) —
							Amount uninvested ... 52,119 5
682,165 50							

THE following is the list of the successful candidates at the London Matriculation Examination held in January, 1902.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director of Public Instruction.

CEYLON.

First Division.

2016 ... Joseph, James .. St. Patrick's College, Jaffna

Second Division.

2018 ... Gomis, Julian Garth W. ... Private study
2019 ... Mohammado, A. C. ... Richmond College, Galle

London University Examinations.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in future bank drafts for fees payable to the University of London should be made payable to "The University of London," and not to the Registrar of the University as heretofore.

All previous notices on the subject are hereby cancelled.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director of Public Instruction.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, April 15, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. D. B. Jayatilaka for a grant in aid of the Polwatta Vernacular Girls' School. Polwatta is within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 22, 1902.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, April 23, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Miss E. G. Harte for a grant in aid of her Galle Girls' English School.

Galle is the capital of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 22, 1902.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, April 23, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. Edward Smith for the registration of his Welipatanwila Vernacular Boys' School as a Mixed one.

Welipatanwila is in Giruwa pattu east, Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 22, 1902.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director.

Office of Public Instruction,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

THE following alterations and additions in the Government Stores Price List are published for general information:—

SECTION C.			
Alterations.			Rs. c.
Basins:—			
Earthen toilet, each	...	...	1 55
Enamelled toilet, each	...	...	2 95
Bellows, hand, 12 in., each	...	...	3 30
Dishes, soap, each	...	...	0 75
Funnels, enamelled:—			
Pint, each	...	...	0 96
Quart, each	...	...	1 20
Hammers, miners:—			
4 lb., each	...	...	2 0
14 lb., each	...	...	6 60
Jugs, earthen toilet, each	...	...	1 55
Jugs, enamelled, each	...	...	2 95

Additions.

Bellows, hand, 18 in., each ... 8 80

F. W. VANE,
Controller of Stores.

Government Stores,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

THE Ceylon Post Office Guide for 1902 can now be obtained at the General Post Office, Colombo, and at the Post Offices at Kandy, Galle, Jaffna, Batticaloa, Kurunegala, Ratnapura, Badulla, Anuradhapura, Trincomalee, Nuwara Eliya, Hattton, Dikoya, Matara, Matale, Gampola, Nawalapitiya, Maskeliya, Haputale, Nanu-oya, Talawakele, and Diyatalawa.
Price, 50 cents per copy.

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1902.

W. MACREADY,
for Postmaster-General.

Abstract of Cooly Labourers on Estates in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended December 31, 1901.

District.	Number of Estates.	Number of Immigrants.	Number of Births.	Number of Deaths.
<i>Western Province.</i>				
Colombo	56	6,408	46	50
Kalutara	53	13,230	90	164
<i>Central Province.</i>				
Kandy	453	115,269	925	1,125
Matale	112	21,896	150	221
Nuwara Eliya	207	67,172	478	505
<i>Southern Province.</i>				
Galle and Matara	30	3,621	35	66
<i>North-Western Province.</i>				
Kurunegala	18	2,280	23	23
Puttalam	10	164	1	—
Chilaw	11	280	—	—
<i>Province of Uva.</i>				
Badulla	153	37,816	327	378
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>				
Ratnapura	43	7,939	70	80
Kegalla	114	32,850	254	336

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

EVERARD IM THURN,
Colonial Secretary.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned papers for the use of the Ceylon Government during the years 1903, 1904, and 1905 will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, July 14, 1902:—

1. Tenders must be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Paper for the Government Printing Office," and must be submitted in duplicate, on forms to be obtained from the Controller of Government Stores, the original being forwarded to the Controller of Government Stores and the duplicate to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being forwarded at the same time.

2. Tenders must be accompanied by samples, consisting of not less than half a quire in each case.

3. Tenderers are at liberty to submit samples of more than one quality for each of the descriptions of paper required.

4. The following are the papers for which tenders are invited, and the average quantities which will be required of each per year:—

- (1) *Azure Wove Writing Paper:* Beams.
Quad Foolscap, 34 in. by 27 in., 55 lb. ... 1,500
- (2) *Cartridge Paper:*
White, Super Royal, 27½ in. by 20½ in., 50 lb. 150

(3) <i>White Printings:</i>	Reams.
(i.) Quad Foolscap, 34 in. by 27 in., 40 lb. ...	900
(ii.) Double Royal, 40 in. by 25 in., 44 lb. ...	800
(iii.) Gazette (special size), 35 in. by 25½ in., 43 lb. ...	750
(iv.) Quad Crown, 40 in. by 30 in., 65 lb. ...	400
(v.) Double Royal, 40 in. by 25 in., 60 lb. ...	50
(vi.) Double Demy, 35 in. by 22½ in., 48 lb. ...	100
(4) <i>Coloured Printings:</i>	
Royal, 25 in. by 20 in., 24 lb. (Yellow 50, Blue 40, Pink 25, Green 5, Slate 5) ...	125
(5) <i>Glazed Badami:</i>	
(i.) Double Royal, 40 in. by 25 in., 32 lb., put up folded ...	1,000
(ii.) Quad Foolscap, 34 in. by 27 in., 30 lb., put up folded ...	200
(6) <i>Brown Wrapping Paper:</i>	
Size 29 in. by 22 in., 50 lb., put up folded ...	100

5. The price per ream is to include delivery, and stacking at the Government Stores as ordered.

6. The sizes and weights given above for each description of paper must be exactly followed, and all (except where otherwise stated) must be put up flat, in reams of 516 sheets, each bale being distinctly marked at one end with the description of paper and number of reams it contains.

7. The full quantity stated against each paper will be taken, but larger quantities must be supplied at the rates tendered for, on two months' notice being given by the Controller of Government Stores.

8. The papers are to be supplied on or after January 1, 1903, within 15 days of receipt of a demand note from the Controller of Government Stores, in lots of not less than 50 reams of any one kind at a time.

9. A deposit of Rs. 100 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.

10. The deposit must be made at the Bank of Madras, to the credit of the Controller of Government Stores, No. 3 Account, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form of tender as his authority for making the issue.

11. No tender will be considered unless it is on such printed form, 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.

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

13. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 5,000. Any further information required can be ascertained on application at the office of the Controller of Government Stores.

14. 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; such bonds will be prepared by the Attorney-General on payment of a fee of Rs. 12.50.

15. The security should be furnished within two weeks of the acceptance of tender being notified.

16. 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,
Controller of Government Stores.

Government Stores,
Colombo, March 11, 1902.

Forest Department, Hill Reserves.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tenders for the purchase of Standing Timber," will be received up to noon on Monday, June 2, 1902, from persons willing to purchase the under-mentioned trees, 5 ft. and above in girth, standing in block No. 4, compartments 2 and 3, extent about 320 acres, at Kandapola Sita Eliya Forest, about five miles from Nuwara Eliya:—

Species.	No. of Trees.	Average Length.	Average Girth.	Total Cubic Feet.	Average Cubic Feet.
		Ft. in.	Ft. in.		
Mihiriya ...	557	15 3	5 10	16,318.6	29.3
Damba ...	235	13 2	5 2	6,164.0	26.2
Kina ...	110	16 3	6 10	4,317.0	39.2
Sapu ...	8	13 3	7 3	352.5	44.0
Mathawara ...	302	18 5	5 8	9,777.8	32.4
Galweralu ...	4	13 9	6 3	132.1	33.0
Hampalanda ...	43	13 6	5 8	1,237.4	28.9
Malweralu ...	107	15 2	5 7	3,355.6	31.4
Walbiling ...	2	14 0	7 3	85.9	42.10
Rattatiya ...	11	17 8	6 3	496.1	45.1
Kududawla ...	2	17 6	6 6	97.9	48.10

The above are rough measurements.

Care has been taken to stamp only sound trees, but their soundness is not guaranteed.

Offers will be received for the purchase of—

(a) All the trees in the whole block.

(b) All the trees of any particular species in the whole block.

Tenders will not be received for a limited number of trees to be selected out of the block.

Offers may be made of lump sum, rates per tree or per cubic foot.

It should be stated in tender within what time the trees purchased will be felled and removed from the forest.

In the event of a rate per cubic foot being accepted, 10 per cent. will be allowed for bark, &c., off cubic contents calculated from actual measurements of felled logs.

Any person wishing to tender for the above work should deposit in the Nuwara Eliya Kachcheri the sum of Rs. 20 and submit the receipt to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hill Reserves, Nuwara Eliya, who will thereupon issue to him the forms on which the tenders must be made. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

The original tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests and the duplicate of it direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being despatched at the same time.

Should the person tendering decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown.

The rate per cubic foot per tree or lump sum must be quoted, written both in words and figures, and the time stated within which the contract will be completed.

All alterations in any tender should be initialled by the person signing it. All tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

The sum of Rs. 250 will have to be deposited as security for the due fulfilment of the contract before it is signed.

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

Further information may be obtained on application to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hill Reserves, Nuwara Eliya.

H. F. C. FYERS,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Hill Reserves.

Nuwara Eliya, April 23, 1902.

මෙහි සහන සඳහන්වන මධ්‍යම පලාතේ මහනුවර දිස්ත්‍රික්කේ කඳුපොලොන්නාපිලිය මුකලානේ අක්කර 320ක් ඇති නොමි මර 4෨෮, 2 සහ 3 වෙනි කාට්ටේ වට අඩි 5 සහ ෮ට වැඩි ගස්ගැණීමට නොප අත්තේ මුද්දරලක් වැනවිල්ල ඇත්විලෝප් උඩ "Tenders for the Purchase of standing Timber" කැලේ ගස් ගැණීමට වැනවිල්ල සහ වාසගම ඇති ඉල්ලුම්පත්‍ර වර්ෂ 1902 ක්වූ ජූනි මස 2 වෙනි සඳු දින දවාල දක්වා බාරගනු ලැබේ.

කැලෑකර්ට්ටේ සිට නුවරඑලියට ගැනැත්ම 5ක්ය.

ඡාය.	ගස් ගණන.	සාමාන්‍ය දිග.		සාමාන්‍ය වට මහන.		මුළු සහ අඩි ගණන.		සාමාන්‍ය සහ අඩි ගණන.	
		අඩි.	අහල්.	අඩි.	අහල්.	අඩි.	අහල්.	අඩි.	අහල්.
මිහිරිස	557	15	3	5	10	16,318	6	29	3
දඹ	235	13	2	5	2	6,164	0	26	2
කික	110	16	3	6	10	4,317	0	39	2
සපු	8	13	3	7	3	352	5	44	0
මහවර	302	18	5	5	8	9,777	8	32	4
ගල්වෙරලු	4	13	9	6	3	132	1	33	0
හම්පලුන්ද	43	13	6	5	8	1,237	4	28	9
මල්වෙරලු	107	15	2	5	7	3,355	6	31	4
වල්කලීර්	2	14	0	7	3	85	9	42	10
රකවිස	11	17	8	6	3	496	1	45	1
කුඩුදවලා	2	17	6	6	6	97	9	48	10

භොදගස් පමණක් ප්‍රමේසමෙන් මුද්දරකර තිබේ. නුමුත් සේරම භොද බවට සහතික කොකරමි. ගස් කැලේ තිබෙන විටෙහි මෙලේට ගැණීම සඳහා වැනවිල්ල ඉල්ලුම්කර තිබේ.

ලක්ෂ්‍යවර්ගයෙන් මෙලෝපසි :-

- (a) කැලෑකර්ට්ටේ මුද්දරකර තිබෙන සේරම ගස්වලටද,
- (b) සම්පූර්ණකැලේ කට්ටේ තිබෙන සම සේරම ගස් ඡායිකකටත්ය,

කැලෑකර්ට්ටේ තිබෙන ගස්වලින් ඕනෑකර තිබෙන ගස් පමණක් තෝරගැණීමට වැනවිල්ල බාරගනු නොලැබේ.

සේරම ගස්වලට ගෙවන මුද්‍රාගණන හෝ නැන්තම් සහ අධිකයට මෙපමණය කිසි ඉල්ලුම්කලු සුභුසි.

මෙලේට ගත් ගස්වල මුද්‍රා ගෙවන ක්‍රමය සහ කොපමණ කාලයකින් ගස්කපා කැලේට අහක්කර ගත්තවාද කිසිත් ඉල්ලුම්පත්‍රවල සඳහන්කරන්නට ඕනෑය.

සහ අධිකයට මෙපමණය කිසි ඉල්ලුම්කලු ගණන භාරගන්නට සෙදුනොත් ගස්වල පොහුවල ගණනට කපාපු කොට වල ගානෙන් සිසේට දහසක් අඩුකරනු ලැබේ.

සමහර ඒ ගැණ වැනවිල් දැන්ව කැවිතිනම් ඔහු විසින් පලමු කොට රුපියල් 20 නුවරඑලියේ කම්බේර්ට්ටේ බැඳ රට තුන්වූවක් ගණන එය නුවරඑලිය පලාතේ උපකැලෑ ඒපත්තලිනනාත්තේ වෙත එවීමට රට පුදුසු වැනවිල් පෝර්ම එවනු ලැබේ. එසේ නැතුව වෙත පෝර්ම එවීමකින් වැනවිල් දමුවාට එය බාරගනු නොලැබේ.

ඉල්ලුම්පත්‍රයේ පලමුවෙනි කොපිය උපකැලෑ ඒපත්තලිනනාත්තේද, දෙවෙනිපිටපත ගරුකට්ටු ඕඩ්ටර්නරල් උත්තාත්තේද එකවිටම ගවන්ට ඕනෑය.

ඉල්ලුම්කාරයා පොරොන්දුවකට සහ ඇපමිල්පුවකට බැඳෙන්නට බැරිය කිවොත් හෝ ඇපදෙන්නට බැරිවූනොත් කළු වේර්ට්ටේ බඳුනලද මුදල රජසහනකා වෙතවා ඇත.

සේරම ගස්වලට ගෙවන මුද්‍රාගණන හෝ නැන්තම් සහ අධිකයට මෙපමණය කිසි අඩුරත් සහ ඉලක්කමෙහුන් ලිඛිතව ඕනෑ පමණක් නොව නොපමණ කාලයකින් ඒ වැඩේ හිමකරණවාද කිසි සඳහන්කරන්නට ඕනෑය.

වැනවිල්පත්‍රයේ කවුගා තිබෙන තැන් ඉල්ලුම්කාරයාගේ නමේ මුල්අකුරුවලින් අත්සන්කරන්නට ඕනෑය. එසේ කවු ගා තිබෙන තැන්වල නමේ මුල්අකුරු බොදවා තිබුනොත් එය හරිනැති බවට බාරගනු ලැබේ.

කොප්තාත්තුව අත්සන් කරන්නට ප්‍රථම කොන්ත්‍රාත්තු හරිතාකාර කිරීම පිණිස රුපියල් 250 ඇප බඳුන්ට ඕනෑය.

ගම් කිසිම වැනවිල්ලක් හෝ සිසුම වැනවිල්පත්‍ර අහක්කිරීමට බලය ආණ්ඩුව තබාගන්නවාය.

වැඩිදුර කාරණා නුවරඑලියට ගොස් උපඒපත්තලිනනාත්තේදෙගත් දැනගත සුභුසි.

වර්ෂ 1902 ක්වූ අප්‍රේල් මස 23 වෙනි දින
නුවරඑලියදිග.

එම්. ඇර්. සී. පෙරේරා,
නුවරඑලියට ගොස් උපකැලෑ ඒපත්තලිනනාත්තේ වම්ස.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE following old stores will be sold by public auction at the Government Stores, Fort, at 2 P.M. on Wednesday, May 7, 1902, viz. :—

Blank books	Watering pots
Elastic bands	Glue
Eyelets	Coir string
Ink	Chisels
Letter files	Locks, brass and iron
Paper fasteners	Mortice, iron
Paper	Hide, Europe
Hoop iron	Coir matting
Galvanized rivets	Waxcloth
Galvanized roofing clips	Paint
Galvanized brackets	Jeye's fluid
Galvanized iron sheets	Rat line
Perforated zinc	Copper measures
Tin sheets	Coir brooms
Boilers	Mat pillows
Brushes	Lanterns
Buckets	Measuring tapes
Tins	Hammers, claw
Spring balances	

F. W. VANE,

Controller of Government Stores.

Government Stores,
Colombo, April 23, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to this Department will be put up for sale by public auction at 12 noon on Tuesday, May 6, 1902 :—

2 axes	1 roller-frame
1 auger	1 square
1 chisel	1 cask
10 files	A quantity of lead dross
1 galley	Do. old iron
2 hammers	Do. packing cases
1 hose	Do. tin cans
2 oil-feeders	Do. earthen jars

H. C. COTTLE,

Acting Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,
Colombo, May 1, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, May 19, 1902, at 8 A.M., will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department yard, Kandy, the following

unserviceable animals belonging to the Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya :—

Two bulls

JOHN C. WILLIS,

Director, Royal Botanic Gardens.

Peradeniya, April 29, 1902.

THE following unserviceable articles belonging to the Lunatic Asylum, Jawatta, will be sold by public auction, in the presence of the Board of Survey, at 8 A.M. on Thursday, May 15, 1902, at the Lunatic Asylum :—

2 boilers
5 buckets, latrine, galvanized
1 bucket, urine
4 coffee cans, zinc (or water cans, zinc)
1 lamp, railway porter's
15 mamoties
161 plates, tin
49 pots, tin, pints
1 bucket, close-stool
3 buckets, spitting
1 tub, bathing
1 tub, 8 gallons
10 mats, bedside, coir
6 matting, coir, rolls
1 frame, close-stool
1 tray, wooden, large
2 cocoanut scrapers

J. H. EBELL,

for Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office,
Colombo, April 24, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Forest Department Timber Depot, Trincomalee, on Saturday, May 24, 1902, at 8 A.M. :—

2 prismatic compasses and stands
1 survey chain with arrows
2 sling carts
3 timber carts

A. M. WALKER,

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
North-Eastern Circle.

Trincomalee, April 26, 1902.