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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JOSEPH GRENIER to be Commissioner of Assize under section 24 of "The Courts Ordinance," No. 1 of 1889, for the purpose of holding the Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court in the Northern Circuit, which commence on the 14th August, 1899.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

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

Mr. J. H. TEMPLER to act as Solicitor-General from the 4th to the 19th August, 1899, during the absence of Mr. P. RAMANATHAN, C.M.G., on leave

or until further orders, and while so acting to be a Visitor of the Prisons in the Western Province and a Commissioner of the Loan Board.

Mr. WALTER DE LIVERA to be Additional District Judge, Chilaw, in addition to his own duties as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Chilaw.

Mr. F. A. PRINS to be Additional Police Magistrate, Panwila, from the 7th August, 1899, and until further orders.

Mr. A. F. CHURCHILL, District Engineer, Chilaw, to be an Official Member of the Local Board, Chilaw, *vice* Mr. W. C. SIMMONS.

Mr. E. G. AUWARDT, Crown Proctor, to be a Visitor of the Prison at Tangalla.

Messrs. GEORGE GREIG, E. P. WILLISFORD, A. CANTLAY, and Mr. J. G. CROW to be Justices of the Peace for the Districts of Hatton and Gampola.

Mr. T. B. YATAWARA to be a Justice of the Peace for the Districts of Hatton and Gampola, with effect from the 20th July, 1899.

Mr. NICHOLAS DIAS ABEYESINHA to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Galle.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 4, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from the 3rd August:—

Mr. E. ONDATJE to act as Colonial Storekeeper during the absence of Mr. JOHN ROOT on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. W. N. S. ASSERAPPA to act as Deputy Fiscal, Colombo, and Assistant Superintendent of Hulftsdorp Prison during the employment on other duty of Mr. E. ONDATJE, or until further orders.

Mr. A. R. SLATER to be Extra Office Assistant at Colombo to the Government Agent, Western Province.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. T. B. YATAWARA to be an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Hatton-Gampola, with effect from the 20th July, 1899.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 29, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Judicial Division of Hatton-Gampola:—

Mr. GEORGE GREIG.
Mr. E. P. WILLISFORD.
Mr. A. CANTLAY.
Mr J. G. CROW.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 31, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. F. W. DE SILVA to be an Inquirer for the West Giruwa pattu of the Hambantota District, Southern Province.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 3, 1899.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 44 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. W. R. PERERA, Chief Clerk, Police Court, Ratnapura, to sign summonses issuing from that Court.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 3, 1899.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. W. D. JAYAWEERA to be Deputy Registrar of Deaths of Nawalapitiya town, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, with effect from the 16th July, 1899, *vice* Mr. D. S. ATTYGALLE, transferred. His office to be at the Government Hospital, Nawalapitiya.

Mr. FREDERICK WILLIAM GOONATILLEKA to be Deputy Registrar of Deaths of Kurunegala town, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, with effect from the 29th June, 1899, *vice* J. S. JOHNPULE. His office to be at the Kurunegala Hospital.

CHARLES FELIX NUGARA to act as Deputy Registrar of Deaths of Kurunegala town, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for five days from the 10th June, 1899, *vice* J. S. JOHNPULE. His office to be at the Kurunegala Hospital.

PATIRENNEHELAGE MOHOTTHAMI to act as Registrar of Kandyan Marriages of Uda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for four days from the 26th July, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, PATIRENNEHELAGE LOKU APPUHAM, on leave. His office to be at Ellawala.

Mr. N. S. P. FERNANDO to be Deputy Registrar of Deaths of Kalutara town, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from the 1st August, 1899, *vice* Mr. A. SINIWASAGAM, transferred. His office to be at Kalutara Hospital.

P. B. AMUNUGAMA ARACHCHI to act as Registrar of Kandyan Marriages of Tumpane, Udapalata division No. 1, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for seven days from the 25th July, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, P. B. NUWARAWEWE, on leave. His office to be at Paranagamawalawwa in Paranagama.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

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

The Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Miss ANNIE SYMONDS to act as Registrar of Births of Division No. 4 of the Colombo Municipality, consisting of the Pettah Ward, St. Sebastian Ward, New Bazaar Ward, and St. Paul's Ward, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on the 8th and 18th August, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. N. S. CHANDRASEGRAM, on leave. Her office will be at No. 107, Hulftsdorp street.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Chilaw, has appointed HENRY SIMON AMARESEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yagam pattu division and as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale central division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for fourteen days from the 18th July 1899, during the absence of the Registrar DANIEL HERA. AMARESEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Madampe.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed A. H. R. MUDIYANSE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Pandita pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from the 18th July, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, A. H. M. WADIGAMANGAWA, on leave. His office will be at Ihala-walawwa in Wadigamangawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed WILLIAM EAPA SENEVIRATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Welipenna division, and as Registrar of Marriages of Walallawiti pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fourteen days from the 1st August, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, WILLIAM PETER JAYANETTI, on leave. His office will be at Batadombaghawatta in Welipenna.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, August 3, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

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

Name of Officer.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
R. G. Anthonisz ...	Assistant to the Registrar-General ...	Examiner of Dutch Records, Secretariat.

By His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

UNDER the provisions of schedule B of Ordinance No. 20 of 1898, it is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor in Executive Council has been pleased to exempt from duty machinery intended for electric traction and electric lighting.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

THE regulations respecting an open Competitive Examination for admission to the Civil Service of India commencing on 1st August, 1900, have been received, and can be seen on application to this office.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

By His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Board appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor will sit on the following days at the Council Chamber for the purpose of opening and considering tenders for the purchase of the following Arrack Rents for the periods as stated :—

August 23, 1899.

Northern Province.—Districts of Jaffna, Mannar, Mullaittivu, and Vavuniya. For a period of one or two years from the 1st January, 1900.

Eastern Province.—District of Batticaloa. For a period of one or two years from the 1st January, 1900.

Province of Uva.—For a period of one or two years from the 1st January, 1900.

August 24, 1899.

Southern Province.—The Four Gravets of Matara, Gangaboda and Kandaboda pattus, and Makewita; Weligam and Morowak korales; the Wellaboda pattu in the District of Matara; Magan pattu and Giruwa pattu west in the District of Hambantota. For a period of one or two years from the 1st January, 1900.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.—Sabaragamuwa District, Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama, and Four Korales in the District of Kegalla.

No tender will be received after 12.30 P.M. on the appointed day.

Each tenderer should state in his tender the period or periods in respect of which he tenders and the price or prices that he is prepared to pay.

Tenders, properly sealed, may either be posted, addressed to the Hon. Mr. W. T. Taylor, C.M.G., Acting Colonial Secretary, marked "Arrack Rent Tender," or delivered personally by the tenderer to the Board.

Forms of conditions of sale with lists of taverns can be obtained at any Kachcheri in the Island. Any further information required will be supplied by the Hon. the Government Agent, Western Province, on application made to him either personally or by letter.

Tenderers who cannot speak English and wish to communicate with the Board must bring their own interpreters.

No tender will be considered unless the tenderer is present in person or by his authorized agent at the Council Chamber, and is prepared to deposit forthwith the amount of one month's rent as tendered by him.

Various alterations have been introduced in the new conditions of sale, and intending purchasers are advised to obtain copies before putting in their tenders.

Purchasers of these rents will be allowed to sell arrack at any price not below Rs. 4.50 per gallon.

Forms of tender can be obtained free of charge on application personally or by letter to the Government Agent, Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 22, 1899.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 9, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that an examination for candidates wishing to enter the Second Class of the Clerical Branch of the Public Service will take place on Monday, November 20, 1899, and following days.

2. Applications for admission to the examination by persons not now in the Public Service must be addressed to the Director of Public Instruction, must bear a stamp of Rs. 10, and must be in the form (Schedule A) attached to this notice. Forms are to be obtained at any Post Office, on application, or within four days' notice. A certificate of the registration of the candidate's birth showing him to be on the 1st November, 1899, between the ages of 18 and 21, and a certificate of good character signed by a responsible person,* to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Instruction, must be attached to the form of application. Affidavits will in no circumstances be accepted.

3. Clerks belonging to the First Class of the Clerical Branch of the Public Service, who have completed three years' satisfactory service, and those employed by Provincial and District Road Committees, whose appointments date prior to July 1, 1875, are eligible for examination irrespective of age, and without fee. Their applications (in the same form, Schedule A) for admission to the examination should be forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction through the heads of their Departments.

4. Applications are to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than 4 P.M. on Monday, October 23; any applications received after that hour, by whatever cause delayed, will be absolutely rejected.

5. The Director of Public Instruction will return to the candidate his application, approved or disapproved, as the case may be, after taking, if necessary, the orders of Government thereon. The approved application shall constitute the candidate's ticket of admission to the examination. Candidates presenting themselves for examination must produce to the officer appointed to supervise the examination at the station at which they present themselves their forms of application, approved by the Director of Public Instruction. A candidate not producing such form, whatever may be the reason for his not so doing, will be refused admittance to the examination.

6. Examinations will be held at Colombo and Jaffna only in the places and under the supervision of the officers specified in Schedule B. Heads of Departments are required to grant to officers of their Departments, whose applications to present themselves for examination have been returned to them approved by the Director of Public Instruction, leave to present themselves at the most conveniently situated station at which the examination is to be held.

7. The examination will be competitive. The number of places assigned for competition shall be thirty.

* The Candidate's Teacher or Schoolmaster by preference, or a Member of the Public Service, a Justice of the Peace, Minister of Religion, Advocate, Proctor, or Notary, or, generally speaking, some person whose name is known and to whom reference can readily be made.

8. The subjects for examination are those set out in Schedule C to this notice. The Examination shall be held in two parts: the first part, a qualifying examination in Handwriting, Spelling, and Arithmetic. Any candidate failing to obtain two-thirds of the marks allotted for Handwriting and half those allowed for Spelling and Arithmetic respectively shall be excluded from the remainder of the examination. The second part of the examination shall be in the remaining subjects in Schedule C. Should a candidate obtain less than one-fourth marks in any of the subjects other than Handwriting, Spelling, and Arithmetic, or, if he be a Sinhalese or Tamil, less than two-thirds marks in his native language, such marks shall not be counted in his favour. In all the written papers marks will be deducted for bad writing and mistakes in spelling.

9. Officers who have served continuously in the First Class of the Clerical Service for over six years will be allowed to compete amongst themselves and be eligible for one-third of the appointments offered for competition, if they obtain a minimum of 33 per cent. in the compulsory subjects. No service under the age of sixteen years will be reckoned in this term.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 23, 1899,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE A.

GOVERNMENT OF CEYLON.

Clerical Examination.

N.B.—This form to be filled up and sent so as to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than noon of Monday, October 23, 1899. It must be correctly and legibly filled up. Candidates who are already in the Public Service should forward the Form through the Head of the Department in which they serve.

The Examination will be held on November 20, 1899, and following days at 10 A.M. The Station at which the examination of the Candidate shall take place is that specified in his sanctioned application.

Name of Candidate, and whether Sinhalese, Tamil, or Eurasian

Day, Month, and Year of Birth

Postal Address to which this Application should be returned

At what station does the Candidate desire to be examined

Is the Candidate already *permanently* employed in the Service of Government, and, if so, date of first appointment and age on entering service?

Present appointment, if any

Is the Candidate to be examined in Sinhalese, Tamil, Latin, or Mathematics?

Is the Candidate to be Examined in Interpretation?

Is the Candidate to be examined in Shorthand?

Is the Candidate to be examined in Bookkeeping?

Here affix a stamp of Rs. 10 if not already in Government Service.

The above-named is admitted to the Examination to be held at _____, and is assigned the Number _____.

Signature of Director of Public Instruction.

This form is to be given up on the first day of Examination to the Presiding Examiner, who will forward it to the Director of Public Instruction. No Candidate will be admitted to the Examination except on presentation of this certificate.

SCHEDULE B.

	Place at which Examination to be held.	Officer by whom Examination to be supervised.
Colombo	.. Agricultural School	... Director of Public Instruction
Jaffna	... Kachcheri*	... Government Agent

* The Government Agent is at liberty to adjourn the Examination to any other suitable building.

SCHEDULE C.

	Marks.
English—	
Handwriting	150
Spelling	100
Composition	100
General Paper*	100
Précis Writing.	100
Arithmetic (including Tots)	200
Shorthand (optional)	100
Bookkeeping (optional)	50
Native Language—	
Written translation out of	50
Written translation into	50
Grammar	50
Reading and translation orally a written document	50
Interpretation	50
In place of the native language, one of the two following subjects may be taken :—	
(a) Latin—	
Translation into English unprepared	100
Translation into Latin	50
Grammar	50
(b) Mathematics—	
Geometry*	100
Algebra†	100

* The General Paper may include questions in English History, Geography, and Literature.

† The Geometry will include questions on Euclid Books I., II., III., and IV., with deductions. The Algebra will include definitions, the theory of indices, greatest common measure and least common multiple, extraction of square root, simplification of fractions, solution of simple and quadratic equations and of problems producing such equations, the elementary rules of ratio and proportion, arithmetical and geometrical progressions, permutations, and combinations.

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Customs Tariff ...	0 10
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H. WHITE,
December, 1898. Government Recordkeeper.

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

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

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

Single copies, when available, 25 cents each.

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	Rs. c.
A column ...	7 50
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For small notices not exceeding 20 lines (9 words as a rule to the line) ...	2 50

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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.

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	Rs. c.
Volume I. ...	3 25
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G. J. A. SKEEN,
Government Printer.

Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Coolies during the Month of June, 1899.

Ports.	Arrivals.		Departures.		Total for Six Months.	
	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.
Colombo.						
Men ...	6,269	4,610	25,613	32,739		
Women ...	803	1,378	2,946	8,702		
Children ...	534	487	1,833	2,780		
Negombo.						
Men ...	—	—	198	268		
Women ...	—	—	23	64		
Children ...	—	—	10	5		
Pesalai.						
Men ...	—	—	10	75		
Women ...	—	—	5	16		
Children ...	—	—	4	8		
Vankalai.						
Men ...	—	—	72	19		
Women ...	—	—	34	4		
Children ...	—	—	18	2		
			7,606	6,475	30,766	44,682

H. M. Customs,
July 29, 1899.

W. H. JACKSON,
for Principal Collector.

Return of Immigrants and Emigrants for the
Week ended August 2, 1899.

	Men.	Women.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
Immigrants :—					
Estate Coolies	370	131	68	22	591
Colombo Coolies	182	19	15	1	217
Emigrants :—					
All classes	977	326	121	41	*1,465

* Of these, 482 were estate coolies.

J. DONNAN,
Master Attendant.

Press Rate Telegrams between Ceylon and
Cochin-China.

FROM August 1, 1899, the press rate for telegrams
from Ceylon to Cochin-China will be 52 cents per
word.

J. D. MASON,
Acting Postmaster-General and
Director of Telegraphs.

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

WILL be sold by public auction at the Colonial
Stores at 12 noon on Saturday, the 12th instant :—
Empty packing cases, &c.

Colonial Store, JNO. ROOT,
Colombo, August 2, 1899. Colonial Storekeeper.

Ceylon Medical College.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

A PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION for candidates
desiring admission into the Junior Department
of the Ceylon Medical College will be held on August
28 and 29, at the College and at the offices of the Colonial
Surgeons in Jaffna, Galle, Kandy, Badulla, and Batticaloa,
at 9 A.M. each day.

The subjects will be as follows :—

- English Language, including Reading, Dictation,
Grammar, and Composition.
- Arithmetic, up to and inclusive of Decimal
Fractions.
- Sinhalese or Tamil.

Applications must reach me before August 14.

In future, students of the Junior Department must
attend the whole course at the College; work done at
an outstation cannot now be recognized.

Colombo, July 17, 1899. HARVEY HILLIARD,
Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been
received from the Rev. R. C. Hastings for the
registration of his Yattaly Vernacular Boys' School as a
Mixed School.

Yattaly is in Pachchilapallai District, Northern Pro-
vince.

Observations will be received not later than August 20,
1899.

J. HARWARD,
Acting Director of Public Instruction.
Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, July 31, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given that applications for grants in aid of the under-mentioned schools have been received
Observations will be received not later than August 20, 1899.

Office of Director of the Public Instruction,
Colombo, July 31, 1899.

J. HARWARD,
Acting Director of Public Instruction.

Name of School.	Class.	Province.	Mission.	Name of Manager.
Poddala Girls'	... Vernacular...	Southern	... Church Missionary Society...	Rev. S. M. Simmons
Analaitivu Boys'	... do. ...	Northern	... Sivite	... Mr. A. Muttntamby Pillai
Kidavettitoppu Mixed	... do. ...	do.	... Roman Catholic	... Rev. J. Collin
Iranaville Mixed (as a branch of Toduwawa school)	... do. ...	North-Western	do.	... Rev. E. Sergent

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender
for Dieting Agricultural and Training School-
masters and Students," will be received at the Office of
the Director of Public Instruction up to noon on Saturday,
September 30, 1899, from persons willing to contract for
dieting the masters and students of the Colombo School
of Agriculture and Colombo Training School from
January 1 to December 31, 1900.

Tenders should be made in duplicate, the original being
forwarded by the tenderer to the Director of Public
Instruction, while the duplicate should be forwarded on
the same day direct to the Auditor-General.

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

A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required before any form
of tender is issued; and should any person decline to

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

Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond
for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of
such bond, and all other necessary information, can be
ascertained upon application at the Office of the Director
of Public Instruction.

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.

Samples of rice must be deposited at the Office of the
Director of Public Instruction in sealed packets or bottles,
labelled with the tenderer's name, before the date on
which the tenders are to be opened.

The necessary cooking utensils should be provided by
the contractor.

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

On bonds which have been drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers the name and stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed, in order to facilitate the work of the Crown Counsel.

Every alteration in the tender should bear the initials of the tenderer. All alterations in tenders not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

J. HARWARD,
Acting Director of Public Instruction.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, July 11, 1899.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for provisioning Hospitals," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, August 9, 1899, from persons willing to contract for supplies for the use of the under-mentioned Government Civil and District Hospitals commencing from January 1, 1900, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender to December 31, 1900:—

	Security in Cash.	Rs.
Civil Hospital, Panadure	150
Do. Kalutara	200
Do. Kegalla	200
Do. Ratnapura	200
Do. Marawila	200
Do. Kurunegala	400
Do. Puttalam	200
Do. Chilaw	150
Do. Galle, including the Kaluwella Hospital, House of Observation	...	750
Smallpox Hospital and Bathfield House, Galle	150
Civil Hospital, Matara	200
Do. Balapitmodara	150
Do. Hambantota	150
Do. Tangalla	200
Do. Trincomalee	200
Do. Batticaloa	200
Do. Kalmunai and Leper Ward	200
Do. Negombo	200
Do. Badulla, including Infectious Hos- pital	300
Do. Mulhalkele	200
Do. Anuradhapura	250
Smallpox and Cholera Hospital, Jaffna	150
Civil Hospital, Mullaitivu	250
Do. Vavuniya	150
Do. Point Pedro	150
Do. Mantota	150
Do. Kandy, including Mahalyawa Hos- pital and Smallpox Hospital	750
Do. Matale	300
Do. NuwaraEliya	300
Do. do. Baker Ward	200
Do. Katugastota	150
Do. Gampola	400
Immigrant Hospital, Dambulla...	250
Do. Mihintale	250
District Hospital, Dikoya	250
Do. Lindula	300
Do. Uda Pussellawa	150
Do. Kelebokka	150
Do. Balangoda, including Parangi Hospital	200
Do. Rakwana	150
Do. Maskeliya	150
Do. Karawanella	350
Do. Deltota	200
Do. Haputale, including Infectious Wards	250

	Security in Cash.	Rs.
District Hospital, Nawalapitiya...	200
Do. Neboda	200
Do. Lunugala	200
Do. Teldeniya	200
Do. Ramboda	200
Do. Deniyaya	150
Do. Maturata	150
Do. Dimbulla	150
Field Hospital, Nikaweratiya, including Infec- tious Wards	150
Field Hospital, Alutnuwara, including Infectious Wards	200
Field Hospital, Medagama, including Infectious Wards	200
Field Hospital, Dandugama, including Infectious Wards	150
Field Parangi Hospital, Godakawela	200
Do. Kolonna	200
Do. Buttale	100
Hospital Ship Serendib	100
Police Hospital, Colombo	250
Immigrant Hospital, Mannar	250
Do. Vankalai and Pesalai	250
Do. Puliyadyirakkam	250

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

3. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, or to the Medical Officer in charge of the respective hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form, and the tender and the schedules attached thereto, each signed in the presence of two respectable witnesses. Each tender should be for provisioning one hospital only.

4. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of half the amount of security for hospitals where Rs. 400 or under are required, and Rs. 200 for hospitals where security over Rs. 400 is required; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue. In stations where there are no Kachcheries the deposit must be made to the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital.

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

6. When required, samples must be deposited.

7. The successful tenderers will be required to give cash security as given opposite the name of each station, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of each contract within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of the tenders. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the cash security, which will be deposited in the Colombo Kachcheri to credit of the Hon. the Treasurer. Those contractors who are required to furnish security to the extent of Rs. 500 and over may have their securities lodged in fixed deposits, if they so desire, in any one of the local banks which they must elect, the deposit being in the name of the Hon. the Treasurer. It is left to the option of the successful tenderer to substitute at any time thereafter for cash deposited by him approved title deeds and to enter into a fresh security bond at his expense.

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

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

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

11. Tenderers for District Hospitals, in quoting rates for Native and European low diets in the tender form, should specify separate rates for the diets with milk and without milk.

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

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, July 8, 1899.

මෙහි පහත සඳහන්වෙන සිවිල් සහ පලාන්වල ඉස්ප්‍රියාලවලට වර්ෂ 1900 ක් වූ ජනවාරි මස 1 වෙනි දින කොහොත් වැන්ඩර් භාරගත් දින පටන් එම අවරුද්දේ දෙසැම්බර් මස 31 වෙනි දින දක්වා කාලී දීමට කොන්ත්‍රාත්තුවලින් ගන්වන මහාස අසවලින් පසින් මුද්දරකරු වැන්ඩර්වල ඇන්වලොස් ලබා ("Tender for provisioning Hospitals") "ඉස්ප්‍රියාල වලට කෑම දීමට වැන්ඩර්" යන වාසනාව ඇතුළු එවන ඉල්ලුම්පත්‍ර, වර්ෂ 1899 ක් වූ අගෝස්තු මස 9 වෙනි බදාදා දවස 12 වෙනගුරු භාරගනු ලැබේ.

මුදලෙන් ඇ.ප.
රුපියල්.

පානදුරේ සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	150
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කැගල්ලේ	එම 200
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මාරුපිල	එම 200
කුරුනෑගල	එම 400
පුත්තලම	එම 200
හලාවත	එම 150
ගාල්ලේ, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ, කපුවැල්ලේ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ සෝදිසි කරණ සාලාව (House of Observation)	750
ගාල්ලේ වසූරි ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ බාත්හිල් සාලාව (Bathfield House)	150
මාතර, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	200
බලපිටියේදර	එම 150
හම්බන්තොට	එම 150
තත්තල්ල	එම 200
තිරිකුනාමලේ	එම 200
වෙසලපුමේ	එම 200
කල්වුගේ සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ ලාදුරා වාහිටුව	200
මීගොහුමේ, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	200
බදුල්ලේ සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ බෝවෙන ලෙඩ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලෙන් ඇතුළුව	300
මල්ගල්කැලේ, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	200
අක්කර්මුරේ	එම 250
ජරගේ, වසූරි සහ කොලොරු ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	150
මුලතිවේ, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	250
වාවොනියා	එම 150
පොයින්ට් ජේදුරා	එම 150
මාත්තොට	එම 150
මහනුවර, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේද මායිකාමේ නිබෙන ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ වසූරි ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ ඇතුළුව	750
මාතලේ, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	300
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නුවරඑළියේ, බෙකර් වාහිටුව (Baker Ward)	200
කටුකස්ගොඩ, සිවිල් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	150
ගම්පොල	එම 400
දඹුල්ලේ, පිටරට සහ අසවලුන්ගේ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ (Immigrant Hospital)	250
මිහින්තලේ, පිටරට සහ අසවලුන්ගේ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ (Immigrant Hospital)	250
දික්බිසේ පලාන් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	250
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ලුණස්සැල්ලාව	එම 150
කැලෑබොක්ක	එම 150

මුදලෙන් ඇ.ප.
රුපියල්.

බලන්ගොඩ පලාන් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ පරණ ඇතුළුව	200
රත්වන	එම 150
එස්කෙලිය	එම 150
කරවනඇල්ල	එම 350
දෙල්කොඩ	එම 200
කපුකලේ පලාන් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ පරණ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ ඇතුළුව	250
නාවලපිටිය පලාන් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	200
නැබොඩ	එම 200
ලුණුකල පලාන් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	200
යෙල්දෙණිය	එම 200
නිකවැරටියේ, ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ බෝවෙන ලෙඩ වාහිටුවක් ඇතුළුව	එම 150
අලුත්කුමාර	එම 200
වැදගත් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ සහ බෝවෙන ලෙඩ වාහිටුව	එම 200
දඹුල්ල	එම 150
ගොඩකවෙල	එම 200
කොලොන්නා	එම 200
බුකලේ	එම 100
රම්බොඩ පලාන් ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	200
දෙණියමේ	එම 150
මතුරට	එම 150
දිම්බුල්ලේ	එම 150
සැරණිස් නැවේ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ (Hospital Ship Serendib)	100
ආලාබ් දොලිය ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ	250
වත්කාරමේ පිටරටසහ අසවලුන්ගේ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලේ (Immigrant Hospital)	250
වත්කාලේ සහ පිසාලේ	250
හුලියාහි ඉරික්කම්	එම 250

2. වැන්ඩර් කොහොත් ඉල්ලුම්පත් එවනකොට කොපි දෙකක් එවිය යුතුය. මෙයින් පළමුවෙනි කොපිය ප්‍රධාන සිවිල් වෛද්‍යාලායකීයාටද, දෙවෙනි කොපිය ගරුකටයුතු බහිරු ජනරජ තුමාටද කෙලිමි ඇරිය යුතුය. මෙම කොපි දෙක එකදම අර්ථව ඕනෑය.

3. මෙම ඉල්ලුම්පත් ඒ නිසමකර තිසෙන පෝර්ම කොලවල ඉල්ලුම්කල යුතුය. පෝර්මකොල ලබා ගන්ව ප්‍රථම ප්‍රධාන සිවිල් වෛද්‍යාලායකීයාගෙන් කන්තෝරුවෙන් සහ ඒ ඒ පලාන්වල ඉස්ප්‍රියාලවල් භාරව ඉන්න දෙස්කරවරුන්ගෙන්ය. ලේලියකට ඒ නිසමකර තිබෙන පෝර්මකොලවල මිස වෙන අන්දම කින් ඉල්ලුවාට භාරගොගන්න බව දතයුතුය.

මේ පෝර්මකොල, වැදගත් සාක්ෂිකාරයෝ දෙව්නෙක් ඉදිරිපිටදී අත්සන්කල යුතුය. එක ලේලියකට ගත එක ඉස්ප්‍රියාලෙක කොන්ත්‍රාත්තුව පවතක් ඉල්ලුම් කළයුතුය.

4. සෑම ඉල්ලුම්කාරයෝම වැන්ඩර් කොල ඉල්ලුම් කරනකොට මුදල් බඳින්නට ඕනෑය. ඒකම ඇ.ප රුපියල් 400 කොහොත් ඊට අඩුව ඇ.ප ගනනක් නිසම කර තිබෙන ඉස්ප්‍රියාලවලට පෝර්මකොල ඉල්ලුම් කරනකොට ඒ ඒ ඉස්ප්‍රියාලවලට නිසමකර තිසෙන ඇ.ප මුදලෙන් පත්තුවක් බඳින්නට ඕනෑය. රුපියල් 400 හිට වැඩියේ ඇ.ප නිසමකර තිසෙන ඉස්ප්‍රියාලවලට පෝර්මකොල ඉල්ලුම්කරණකොට රුපියල් 200 බැගින් බඳින්නට ඕනෑය. යම් අයෙක් ඉල්ලුම්කලායින් පසු කොන්ත්‍රාත්තුවට බැඳෙන්නට බැරිය කිසිවක් එසේ නැතුව ඔහුට ඊට සැලකෙන සහතික ඇ.ප ආදිය දෙන්නට බැරිවුනොත්, එම අය විසින් පෝර්මකොල ගන්ව බැඳුණු මුදල් රැස්කන්නක වෙනවා ඇත, කොන්ත්‍රාත්තුව සම්ප්‍රියායින් පසු පෝර්මකොල ලබාගැනීමට බැඳුණු මුදල ඒ ඒ අසවන්නට දෙනවා ඇත. පෝර්මකොල ලබාගන්ව බඳින මුදල් ට්‍රැන්සේ නොහොත් කවිවේරි ගේ බැඳු ඊට කුණිකාන්ති ලබාගෙන එම කුණිකාන්ති දී පෝර්මකොල ලබාගන්ව ඕනෑය. කවිවේරිගේ නැති සභානවලදී ඒ තැන්වල ඉස්ප්‍රියාල භාරව ඉන්න දෙස්කරවරුන් ලක මුදල් බැඳ පෝර්මකොල ඉල්ලුම්කල යුතුය.

ஆசுப்பத்திரிகள்.	ரொக்கப் பிணை ரூபா.
கொடக்கல்லை -	200
கொலொன்னா -	200
புத்தலை -	100
செநின்டிக்கப்பல் ஆசுப்பத்திரி -	100
கொழும்பு பொலிச ஆசுப்பத்திரி -	250
மன்னார் -	250
வங்காலை, பேசாலை -	250
புளியடி இறக்கம் -	250

2. கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தக் கேள்விக் கட தாசிகள் இரண்டு கொப்பிசளில் எழுதி ஒரு கொப்பியைப் பிரதான சிவில் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசு ருக்கும் மற்ற கொப்பியை சங்கைபொருந்திய ஒழற்றர் ஜெனறலுக்கும் ஒரேமுறையிற்றினே அனுப்பிவைக்க வேண்டியது.

3. பிரதான சிவில் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசரிட மி ருந்து அல்லது குறிக்கப்பட்ட ஆசுப்பத்திரியின் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசரிடமிருந்து பெற்றுக்கொள்ள ப்பட்ட அச்சிட்ட கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தக் கடு தாசிகளில் ஒப்பந்தங்களைக் கேட்கவேண்டியது அப்படிப்பட்ட ஒப்பந்தக்கடுதாசிகளிற் கேளாத ஒப்பந்தங்கள் கவனிக்கப்படமாட்டா. கேள்வி க்கடுதாசியும் அதற்கு அணைக்கப்பட்டிருக்கும் ஒப்பந்தப் பிணைப்பதிரமும் இரண்டு கணிச முள்ள சாட்சிகளின் சமூகத்தில் கையெழுத்து வைக்கப்படவேண்டும். ஒவ்வொரு கொந்திருத்துக் கேள்விக்கடுதாசியும் ஒவ்வொரு ஆசுப் பத்திரிக்கா யிருக்கவேண்டும்.

4. நானூ ரூபாய் அல்லது அதற்கு கு ரையப் பிணை தேள்வையான ஆசுப்பத்திரிகளு க்கு அதில் அரைவாசியும் அல்லது நானூ ரூபாய்க்கு மேற்படப் பிணை தேள்வையான ஆ சுப்பத்திரிகளுக்கு இருநூறு ரூபாயும் ஒவ்வொ ரு ஒப்பந்த கேள்விக்காரனும் கேள்விக்கடதாசி யைப் பெற்றுக்கொள்ளும்பொழுது முற்பண மாக அந்தத் தொகையைக் கட்டிப்போட வே ண்டியது. கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தத்தின் பின் ஆராகுதல் ஒப்பந்தப் பிணைப்பத்திரம் எழுத உ டன்படாவிட்டால் அல்லது பிணைப்பணம் முழு வதையும் கட்டத்தவறினால் முற்பணமாகக் கட்ட டிய தொகை கொவரணமேந்துக் காகிவிடும். கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தம் தீர்ந்து கையொப்பம் வைத்தபின் மற்ற ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப்படாத கொ ந்திருத்துக் கேள்விக்காரருடைய பணத்தொ கைகள் திரும்பிக் கொடுக்கப்படும், முற்பணம் திறசேரியில் அல்லது கச்சேரியில் கட்டி ரிசீற் றை ஒப்பந்தக் கேள்விக்கடுதாசிக் கொடுக்க ம் உத்தியோகஸ்தரிடம் கொடுக்கவேண்டும். கச்சேரிகளில்லாத விடங்களில் குறித்த ஆசுப் பத்திரியின் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசரிடம் முற்பணம் கட்டவேண்டியது.

5. சாமான்கள் திறமானவையும் ஆசுப்பத் திரி மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசரால் ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப்பட த்தக்கவையுமா யிருக்கவேண்டும்.

6. சாமான் மாதிரிகள் கேட்கும்போது கொடுக்கவேண்டும்.

7. கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தம் ஏற்றுக்கொள் ளப்பட்ட நாட்துவக்கம் இரண்டு கிழமைக்குள்

ளாக ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப்பட்ட கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தக்காரர் ஒவ்வொரு ஆசுப்பத்திரிக்கும் மேற்சுறிக்கப்பட்ட பணப்பிணைகட்டவும் கேள் விப்பத்திரத்தைச்சேர்ந்த உறுதிக்கு கைஒப்பம் வைக்கவும் வேண்டும். கேள்விப்பத்திரத்தின் பேரால் முற்பணமாகக் கட்டியதொகையும் பி ணையில் ஒரு பகுதியாய்ச்சேரும் அந்தத்தொகை கொழும்புக் கச்சேரியில் சங்கைபொருந்திய பொக்கிஷகாரன் (Hon. the Treasurer) பே ருக்கு கட்டப்படும். ஐஞ்ஞாறு ரூபாய்க்கு அல் லது அதற்கு மேற்பட பிணைகட்டவேண்டிய ஒ ப்பந்தக்காரர் தாங்கள் கட்டவேண்டிய தொகை யை தங்களுக்குப் பிரியமானால் வசதியென்று காணுகிற ஓர் வங்கியில் சங்கைபொருந்திய பொ க்கிஷகாரன் (Hon. the Treasurer) பேருக் கு கட்டிக்கொள்ளலாம். இதன் பின்னால் எவ் வேளையிலாவது ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப்பட்ட உறுதி யைக் கொடுத்துப் பணம் பிணையைமீட்டுப் புது ப்பிணையுறுதியைத் தன்சொந்தச்செலவில் முடி க்கிறது கொந்திருத்துக்காரனுடைய பிரியத்து க்கு விடப்பட்டிருக்கின்றது.

8. ஆராகுதல் கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தக் கே ள்விப்பத்திரத்தில் பிழைகள் திருத்தினால் அப்பி ழை திருத்தங்கள் கேள்விப்பத்திரகாரனின் கையொப்பம் பெற்றிருக்கவேண்டும், அல்லாவி டில் கேள்விப்பத்திரம் சரியல்லதென்று தள்ள ப்படும்.

9. இதைக்குறித்து இன்னும் விபரங்கள் அறியவேண்டியதானால் பிரதான சிவில் மெடிக் கல் ஒபிசரிடம் அறிந்துகொள்ளலாம்.

10. ஒப்பந்த கேள்விகளில் ஒன்றை அல்ல து முளுமையையும் தள்ளும் உரித்தை வைத்தி ருப்பது மல்லாமல் அவைகளில் ஏதாசுதல் ஒரு பகுதியை ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளும் உரித்தும் கோர்ணமேந்தாருக்கு உண்டு.

11. டிஸ்திரிக் ஆசுப்பத்திரிகளுக்கு கேள்வி க்காரர்கள் கொந்திருத்து ஒப்பந்தக் கேள்விக்க டுதாசிகளில் (Tender Forms) சுதேச ஐ ரோப்பிய சஞ்சி முதலிய குறைந்தவகைச் சாப் பாடுகளுக்கு (Low Diets) பால் சேர்த்தும் பால் சேராமலும் விலை (Rates) போடவேண் டும்.

அலலான் பெரி,
பிரதான சிவில் மெடிக்கல் ஒபிசர்,
பிரதான சிவில் மெடிக்கல் கந்தோர்,
கொழும்பு, 1899 ம் ஆடிமீ 10 ந் உ.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) will be received, the original by myself direct in Colonial Store and the duplicate by the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being forwarded at the same time, up to noon on Monday, August 14, 1899, from persons willing to contract for supplying arrack that may be required during the year 1900 for the use of the Ceylon Government.

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Arrack." Arrack 20° below proof as per Syke's hydrometer to be supplied in such quantities as may be required from time to time.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 100.

2. A deposit, as noted above, will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has

tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

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

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

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

6. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 280; all other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store, JNO. ROOT,
Colombo, July 18, 1899. Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 15, 1899.

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Rations."

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 20.

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

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

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

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

6. The tenderer must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which the tenders are due. No tender will be considered if the sample is not so deposited.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 70. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office.

8. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the

approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10-50 to the Attorney-General for approving such bond.

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

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

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

Colonial Store, JNO. ROOT,
Colombo, July 18, 1899. Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Shoes, &c., to the Colonial Store," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, August 16, 1899, from persons willing to contract for supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government, from January 1 to December 31, 1900, viz. :—

Boots, strong, with buckles	... per pair
Shoes, strong, for men	... do.
Shoes, strong, for women	... do.
Shoes, canvas, for nurses	... do.
Slippers, strong, large, for hospital	... do.
Sandals for Leper Hospital	... do.

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

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 50.

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

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

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

6. Tenderers should tender to supply the boots, shoes, &c., up to the standard sample, and also to the specification which can be inspected at the Colonial Store.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 160. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store, JNO. ROOT,
Colombo, July 18, 1899. Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, August 18, 1899, from persons willing to contract for supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900.

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

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Basel Mission Tiles (Calicut), Colonial Store."

Tiles, flat
 Tiles, half
 Tiles, ridge
 Tiles, glass
 Tiles, ventilation

To be delivered in such quantities as may be required from time to time.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 100.

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

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

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

5. Persons who tender must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which the tenders are due. No tender will be considered if the samples are not so deposited.

6. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 1,360. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
 Colombo, July 18, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
 Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Rangoon Teak," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, August 21, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the supply of Rangoon teak, for the construction and repairs of public buildings during 1900.

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

Intending tenderers will be furnished on application with the quantities actually supplied during the last three years.

2. The timber should be of quality first class Rangoon teak squares.

3. The specification of the consignment should be submitted if directed to do so, and the teak is to be delivered at the Government Factory or as may be directed.

4. The timber is to be sound throughout, free from sapwood, shakes, dead or loose knots, or any other defects, and of the full dimensions given, in logs averaging 15 to 25 ft. in length by 15 in. sidings to 24 in. sidings—30 per cent. to be not less than 18 in. sidings by 20 ft. in length.

Price to be stated at per ton of 50 cubic ft.

5. Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 500.

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

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

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

9. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 3,600. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

12. The price to include delivery.

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

14. The timber, before being accepted by the Colonial Storekeeper, will be inspected and passed by the Factory Engineer.

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

Colonial Store,
 Colombo, July 18, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
 Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 22, 1899.

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Paddy and Gram, Colombo."

Gram } for horses.
 Paddy }
 Salt, per lb.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 50.

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

3. A deposit, as noted above, will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the supply of Coffins, &c.," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, August 24, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned service and supply for the year 1900 :—

<p>For supply of coffins :— Common With bearers Lined Lined, with bearers For supply of hearse and horse, per trip</p>	}	<p>At General Hospital, Maradana; Police and Infectious Hospitals, Borella; Smallpox and Cholera Hospitals, Kanatta; Leper Asylum, Hendala; New Lunatic Asylum, Jawatta; Contagious Diseases Hospital, Urugodawatta; and Lady Havelock Hospital.</p>
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For digging a grave in General Cemetery, Borella.
For burying a corpse in do do
For digging a grave at Hendala.
For burying a corpse at Hendala.
For supply of common lightwood coffins, about 6 ft. 9 in. by 2 ft. 3 in. by 20 in., at Convict Hospital, Borella.

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

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 25.

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

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

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

6. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 70. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, July 18, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for Binding Books from January 1 to December 31, 1900, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, August 25, 1899 :—

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Book-binding, Colonial Store."

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

Deposit for tender forms, Rs 25.

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

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

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

6. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 150. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, July 18, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for the supply of coconut oil for the use of the Ceylon Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, August 28, 1899.

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Coconut Oil, Colonial Store."

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

3. Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 200.

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

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

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

7. Tenderers should tender to supply the oil up to the standard sample, which can be inspected at the Colonial Store.

8. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 5,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

9. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the

tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.50 to the Attorney-General for approving such bond.

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

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

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

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Shoeing Horses," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 29, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned services from January 1 to December 31, 1900:—

Shoeing horses of Mounted Orderlies at Colombo.
Do. do. at Kandy.

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

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 50.

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

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

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

6. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 50. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.50 to the Attorney-General for approving such bond.

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

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

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

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to

December 31, 1900, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, August 30, 1899.

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Candles, Colonial Store."

Candles, table, about 800 to 1,000 lb. more or less are required.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 20.

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

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

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

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

6. The tenderer must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which the tenders are due. No tender will be considered if the sample is not deposited.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 70. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

8. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.50 to the Attorney-General for approving such bond.

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

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

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

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate) from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900, will be received:—

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Lime for the Colonial and Railway Stores," receivable up to 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, August 31, 1899:—

Lime, slaked	Clay, white
Lime, unslaked	Clay, yellow
Lime, boiled	Coral stones

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

2. 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.

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

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

5. Slaked lime to be delivered in a bushel or eight-bushel measure, filled with a shovel or basket, the lime being dropped from a height of at least six inches from the measure. A bushel of lime to weigh 42 lb.

6. Boiled lime will be measured and paid for by weight.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 820. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

8. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.50 to the Attorney-General for approving such bond.

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) for the under-mentioned service on account of the Colonial Store Department during 1900 will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, September 1, 1899.

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Landing, &c., Coal and Coke per Steamers and Sailing Ships."

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

2. For landing with the utmost despatch all coal and coke arriving at the port of Colombo by steamers and sailing ships for the Railway, and delivering the same at the Railway Store or Railway Station at Maradana, at the vicinity of the Railway line near the Lotus pond, or at any other place within the gravets of Colombo.

3. The rate demanded should be at per ton, and should include the cost of stacking materials, when required, at such places as may be pointed out.

4. All small coal and coke should be bagged on board ship and conveyed and delivered so bagged. Not less than 350 tons coal should be landed per working day, and loaded into trucks at the Wharf for transport to the Railway, at the rate of 200 tons per working day if required.

5. All coal and coke should be removed from the Wharf to the Railway premises by Railway, the Government supplying a sufficiency of trucks at the Wharf Railway Station, and receiving them from contractor on Wharf weighing machine, the contractor paying the General Manager for transport at the rate of 50c. per ton for all materials, the loading and unloading of trucks being done at the expense and risk of the contractor. If wagons be detained beyond the time allowed (24 hours) the contractor to pay demurrage.

6. The weight ascertained at the Railway weigh-bridge at the Wharf Station, minus weight of bags, shall be that for which the contractor will be paid.

7. Parties tendering are requested to state rates for contract to run for two or three years also.

8. An allowance of 2 per cent. on the bill of lading quantity will be made to the contractor for wastage.

9. The contractor will be bound to accept in all cases the conditions of the charter-party as regards discharge of the ship; and all demurrage and other charges which may result from a failure to comply with such conditions shall be borne by the contractor.

10. Tenders should be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Colonial Storekeeper.

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. Each party will be required to make a deposit in the Treasury or Kacheheri (on applying for forms) of Rs. 150, which will be returned upon signature of contract; but which will be forfeited in the event of his declining to carry out his tender or any portion of it which may be accepted.

13. The amount of security—which must be real, not personal—to be given will be Rs. 3,400, and all other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

14. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, in which case the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document. But if a contractor submits a security bond which does not bear the name or stamp of the lawyer who drafted it, he will be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.50 to the Attorney-General for approving such bond.

15. The Government reserves to itself the coal that may be salvaged from the Harbour.

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate) will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, September 4, 1899, from persons willing to contract for supplies for the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900.

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

To be marked on the envelopes "Tender for Mangalore or Basel Mission Tiles, Railway."

Tiles, flat
Tiles, half
Tiles, ridge
Ventilators
Glass tiles

To be delivered in such quantities as may be required from time to time.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 25.

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

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

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

5. Persons who tender must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which the tenders are due. No tender will be considered if the samples are not so deposited.

6. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 350. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's Office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Timber to the Railway Branch, Colonial Store," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, September 5, 1899, from persons willing to contract for supply of the under-mentioned timber for the use of Government from January to December 31, 1900, viz. :—

Halgas plnaks	Millilla planks
Halgas scantlings	Del planks
Jakwood scantlings	Teak planks
Jakwood planks	Satinwood planks
Jakwood reepers	Mi piles
Lunumidella planks	Doon or hora spars
Mendora reepers	Jakwood in logs
Cocconut rafters	Sapanwood, &c.
Bukkattana planks	Hora planks, logs, &c.
Millilla pots	

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

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 100.

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

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

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

5. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 800. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

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

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

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Baskets, Colonial Store," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, September 6, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned baskets for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900:—

Baskets, Madampe, 16 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, of whole cane each	
Baskets, Madampe, coal, extra strong, of full size	do.
Baskets, square	... do.
Baskets, round and flat	... do.

Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 30.

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

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

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

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

6. Tenderers should tender to supply the baskets up to the standard samples which can be inspected at the Colonial Store.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 650. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Bricks, &c., to the Colonial Store," will be received to 12 noon on Thursday, September 7, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900, viz. :—

Bricks	Bamboos
Tiles	Batalies
Cabook stones	Posts of sizes, &c.

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

2. Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 100.

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

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

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

6. Tenderers must deposit samples with the Colonial Storekeeper before the date on which the tenders are due. No tenders will be considered if the samples are not so deposited.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 1,600. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Bricks and Tiles to the Railway Store," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, September 8, 1899, from persons willing to contract for

supply of the under-mentioned articles for the use of Government from January 1 to December 31, 1900, viz. :—

Bricks ^o	Bamboos
Tiles ^o	Batalies
Cabook stones ^o	Posts of sizes, &c.

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

2. Deposit for tender forms, Rs. 100.

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

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

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

6. Tenderers should tender to supply the articles marked (^o) up to the standard samples, which can be inspected at the Railway Store.

7. The amount of security to be given will be Rs. 1,200. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Colonial Storekeeper's office.

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

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

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

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

Colonial Store,
Colombo, August 1, 1899.

JNO. ROOT,
Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveying Night Soil out to Sea," will be received up to noon on Monday, August 14, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned service for one year from August 1, 1899 :—

For conveying night soil daily from the cooly latrines to the root of the Breakwater out to sea, for a distance of 3 miles from the Pier head lighthouse, and depositing same.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Master Attendant, Colombo, and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both to be forwarded at the same time.

5. Tenders are to be made in forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Master Attendant, Colombo. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished in the recognized form.

4. A deposit of Rs. 10 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 the necessary security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

5. The deposit should be made at the Kachcheri or General Treasury, and deposit receipt produced when applying for forms.

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

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

8. Any alterations made in the tender should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due fulfilment of their contract, which bonds shall be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, together with a fee of Rs. 10-50 to be paid by the tenderer, but the bonds may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers; and when bonds have been drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

Master Attendant's Office,
Colombo, July 26, 1899.

J. DONNAN,
Master Attendant.

SEAL^ED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the supply of Firewood to the Government Factory and the Government Printing Office," will be received up to noon on Monday, August 28, 1899, from persons willing to contract to supply firewood to the above places for one year commencing from January 1, 1900.

2. The firewood for the Government Printing Office must be supplied weighed and stacked weekly in quantities to be directed from time to time by the Government Printer. All wood delivered there must be sound, dry, and fairly hard and straight, and in billets from 3 ft. to 5 ft. in length, and not less than 6 in. or more than 20 in. in girth.

3. The firewood for the Government Factory must be weighed on the weight-bridge and delivered stacked. The same may be delivered on any working day at any time during working hours in any quantity not exceeding 6,000 cwt. at a time, as required by the Factory Engineer. All wood supplied to the Factory must be sound, dry, and fairly hard and straight, and not more than 30 in. or less than 9 in. in girth. A separate rate must be given for supplying at the Wharf or the Government Factory dry firewood of good quality in billets not exceeding 18 in. in girth and 18 in. in length.

4. Firewood cut in 2 ft. lengths and 18 to 25 in. in girth to be delivered to any office of the Public Works Department within the gravets of Colombo.

5. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Director of Public Works and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

6. The tenders must be made on forms which will be supplied upon application to the Director of Public Works, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract after he has tendered, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

8. The sum of Rs. 100 will have to be deposited by the contractor, also firewood to the value of five hundred rupees, of the quality and dimensions above-mentioned as to be supplied to the Government Factory will have to be kept in deposit in the Factory yard as security, which quantity will be paid for as last payment for the year, provided that the contract is duly fulfilled during the year.

9. 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.

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

tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

11. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

12. Further information may be obtained on application to the Director of Public Works.

F. W. JOHNSON,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, July 25, 1899.

SEAL^ED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tenders to load, unload, carry, convey, and transport by cart," will be received up to noon on Monday, August 28, 1899:—

- (1) To and from Matale and Dambulla and intermediate stations, allowing 12 miles journey per day.
- (2) To and from Matale and any station in the North-Central Province, allowing 12 miles journey per day.
- (3) To and from any station in the North-Central Province and any other station in the North-Central Province, allowing 12 miles journey per day—

for the term of one year commencing from January 1, 1900, to December 31, 1900, all tools, stores, powder, timber, building materials, provisions, clothing, stationery, or any description of goods required by the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, or his Assistants, to be conveyed and deliver them to the respective consignees in the same good order and condition as received, and within the time specified above.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Director of Public Works and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. Tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Kandy. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

4. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

5. Deposit should be made at the Kandy Kachcheri, and the receipt of the Government Agent produced when applying for forms.

6. Accepted tenderer will be required to give cash security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

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

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

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.

F. W. JOHNSON,
for Director of Public Works

Public Works Department,
Colombo, July 31, 1899.

SEAL^ED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the supply of Rice," will be received up to noon on Monday, September 11, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the supply of best kallunda rice to the Public Works Department, North-Western Province, from January 1 to December 31, 1900.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Director of Public Works

and the duplicate to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. Tenders should specify the rates per bushel of best kallunda rice delivered as follows :—

- (a) Delivered within the towns of Kurunegala, Chilaw, Puttalam, and Dandugama.
- (b) Delivered within the Departmental districts of Kurunegala, Chilaw, Puttalam, and Dandugama.

4. Tenderers may tender for all or any one of the above towns or districts.

5. The tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Government Agent, Kurunegala, or his Assistants at Chilaw and Puttalam, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

7. Samples of rice to be deposited with the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, labelled with the name of the tenderer, on or before September 11, 1899.

8. Cash security not exceeding Rs. 500 will be required from each of the successful tenderers for each town or district. All other information can be ascertained upon application at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Kurunegala.

9. 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.

10. Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contracts, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Hon. the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderer's own lawyer, in which case the name or stamp of the lawyer should be affixed to the document.

11. Any alterations made in the tender form should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

F. W. JOHNSON,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

SEALÉD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Transport Service in the North-Western Province," will be received up to noon on Monday, September 11, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned services :—

For transporting materials, &c., for the Public Works Department from any one station to any other station within the four districts of Kurunegala, Dandugama, Puttalam, and Chilaw during the year 1900, viz. :—

To and from Kurunegala on all main roads in the Kurunegala District.

To and from Kurunegala railway station and Public Works Department yard.

To and from Puttalam on all main roads in the Puttalam District.

To and from Chilaw on all main roads in the Chilaw District.

To and from Dandugama on all main roads in Dandugama District.

2. Tenderers may tender for all or any of the above-named districts, and should state the rate at per cwt. per mile.

3. The tenders are to be made in duplicate on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Government Agent, Kurunegala, or his Assistants at Puttalam and Chilaw, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form. The original should be forwarded direct to the Director of Public Works and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both to be forwarded at the same time.

4. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract. Cash security will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

5. 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.

6. Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Hon. the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of whom should be affixed to the document.

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

F. W. JOHNSON,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

SEALÉD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supply of Materials," will be received up to noon on Monday, September 11, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned services :—

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 1900.

Tenderers may tender for all, or any of the articles in the following list :—

- Arecaut trees, each.
- Baskets, Madampe, 16 in. diameter, top 4 in. diameter, bottom 8 in. deep, whole cane, per 100.
- Bricks, 9 in. by 4½ 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.
- Charcoal, per bushel.
- Cocconut oil, per gallon.
- Gunny bags, each, new or second hand.
- Indigo, per lb.
- Jak scantlings, sawn die square, per cubic ft.
- Jak planks, 2¼ in., per 100 ft. square.
- Do. 1½ do.
- Do. 1¼ do.
- Jak planks, 1 in., per 100 ft. square.
- Do. ½ do.
- Jak reepers, 2 in. by ½ in., per 1,000 lin. 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.
- Palmirah rafters, per 100 lin. 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, linen, per lb.
- Thread, cotton, per lb.
- Vinegar, per bottle.

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

3. The tenders are to be made in duplicate on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Government Agent, Kurunegala, or his Assistants at Puttalam and Chilaw, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form. The original should be forwarded direct to the Director of Public Works and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both to be forwarded at the same time.

4. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract. Sufficient cash security will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

5. 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.

6. Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Hon. the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of whom should be affixed to the document.

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

F. W. JOHNSON,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, August 2, 1899.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveyance of Materials by Cart" between the under-mentioned places in the Province of Uva during the year 1900, will be received up to noon on Monday, August 28, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the same :—

To and from Bandarawela railway station to Badulla Public Works Department store.

To and from Bandarawela railway station to Passara Public Works Department store.

To and from Haputale railway station to Koslande Public Works Department store.

From the Public Works Department store, Badulla, to any point in any main road in the Public Works Department district of Badulla.

From the Public Works Department store, Passara, to any point in any main road in the Public Works Department district of Passara.

From the Public Works Department store, Koslande, to any point in any main road in the Public Works Department district of Koslande.

From Haputale railway station to Balangoda.

Rate per mile per cwt. to be given in all cases.

Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Director of Public Works and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

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

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

All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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.

Persons whose tenders are accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, and the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

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

The security bond should be perfected before December 31, 1899.

F. W. JOHNSON,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, August 3, 1899.

[Received after closing of Part V.]

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety of the cost of repair of flood damages of the under-mentioned road and bridge, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road and bridge, as follows:—

Kitulkele bridge and connected road calculation of contribution towards repairs of flood damages.

		Rs.	c.
Total cost of repair	...	433	0
Moiety	...	216	50

Assessment of the several estates.

1st section from Koslanda bazaar to Arnhall store, 1½ mile.

		Rs.	c.
Cost of repair	...	197	0
Moiety	...	98	50

Total acreage, 2,274—Rate per acre, C 4,331.

Proprietor or Agent.	Estate.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
J. M. Robertson & Co. ...	Arnhall ...	175 ...	7 57
Do. ...	Ampitiakande ...	320 ...	13 87
J. A. Martensz ...	Macaldenia ...	500 ...	21 66
James Bisset ...	Poonagala ...	275 ...	11 91
Do. ...	Cabragala ...	207 ...	8 96
Do. ...	Udahena ...	302 ...	13 8
Do. ...	Lunugala ...	495 ...	21 45
		2,274	98 50

2nd section from Arnhall store to Terminus, 1½ mile.

		Rs.
Cost of repairs	...	236
Moiety	...	118

Total acreage, 1,779—Rate per acre, C 6,633.

Proprietor or Agent.	Estate.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
J. A. Martensz ...	Macaldenia ...	500 ...	33 17
	Poonagala ...	275 ...	18 24
James Bisset ...	Cabragala ...	207 ...	13 73
	Udahena ...	302 ...	20 3
	Lunugala ...	495 ...	32 83
		1,779	118 0

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		Rs.	c.
Arnhall	...	7	57
Ampitiakande	...	13	87
Macaldenia	...	54	83
Poonagala	...	30	15
Cabragala	...	22	69
Udahena	...	33	11
Lunugala	...	54	28
		216	50

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay in to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, on or before August 15, 1899.

A. C. ALLNUTT,
for Chairman.