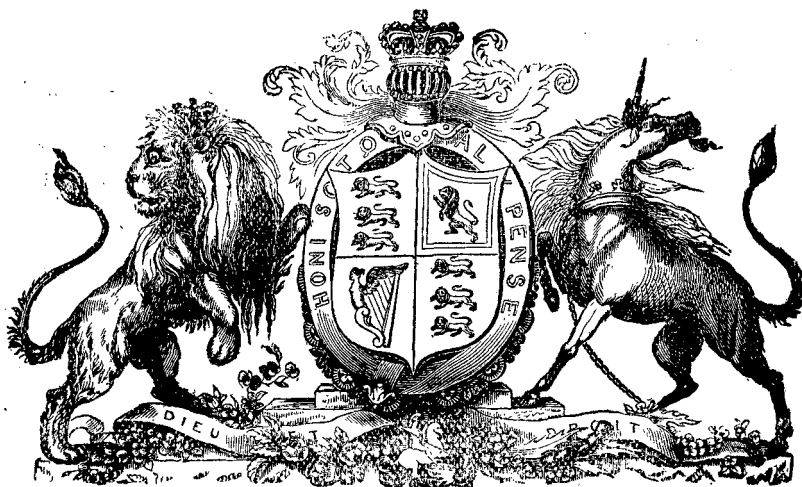




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HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR will hold a Levée at the Pavilion, Kandy, on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 1 o'clock P.M., in honour of HER MAJESTY'S BIRTHDAY.

All officers and gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to bring with them two cards with their names legibly written thereon: one card to be delivered on entering the Pavilion and the other to the Aide-de-Camp on duty at the time of presentation.

Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in full dress.

Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in evening dress, or morning dress with black coat.

By command,

WILLIAM WYNDHAM, Captain, King's Royal Rifles,
Aide-de-Camp.

The Pavilion,
Kandy, May 9, 1899.

MINUTES BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

IN pursuance of instructions from the Right Hon. the Secretary of State for the Colonies, His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor has been pleased, with the advice of the Executive Council, to direct that section 20 of the Pension Minute of 11th December, 1892, be amended by the addition of the following proviso, viz.:—

“Provided further that whenever an officer entitled to a pension under this Minute is also entitled to a pension from Imperial funds or from the funds of some other Government, the maximum pension which may be granted under this Minute shall, in the case of officers appointed after the 31st day of March, 1899, in ordinary circumstances be such as when added to such other pension does not exceed two-thirds of the highest salary drawn by such officer at any time in the course of this service.”

The section as amended will read thus:—

20. An officer who has been transferred with the approval of the Government of this Colony, or of the Secretary of State, to some other employment under the Crown or to employment of a quasi-public character (as defined in foregoing section) shall retain a claim to ultimate pension for his service in Ceylon, provided that he retires under circumstances which would entitle him to a Colonial pension; and provided further that, if his appointment be abolished or his employment of such quasi-public character terminated for any other reason than that of ill-health before attaining the pensionable age of fifty-five years, he shall have no claim on the Colony for pension until he attains that age or is certified to be permanently incapacitated for further service in the Colonies. In all such cases the Ceylon pension will only be based upon the salary drawn in Ceylon and upon the length of service in Ceylon, and will be at the rate of one-sixtieth for each year's service in Ceylon, together with an addition to such service which shall bear a like proportion to five years, or to ten years in the case of the officers referred to in section 24, as his service in Ceylon bears to the whole period of his employment in tropical climates; provided that no such addition shall be made to his service in Ceylon in cases where such officer has not been employed for ten years in all in tropical climates; and further provided that the addition shall in no case be greater than would make his total public employment forty years.

Provided further that whenever an officer entitled to a pension under this Minute is also entitled to a pension from Imperial funds or from the funds of some other Government, the maximum pension which may be granted under this Minute shall, in the case of officers appointed after the 31st day of March, 1899, in ordinary circumstances be such as when added to such other pension does not exceed two-thirds of the highest salary drawn by such officer at any time in the course of his service.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 9, 1899.

IN pursuance of instructions from the Right Hon. the Secretary of State for the Colonies in connection with “The Public Servants' (Liabilities) Ordinance, 1899,” His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor has been pleased to direct that it be notified for general information that no person will in future be eligible for employment in the Public Service of this Colony unless he can furnish a declaration of freedom from debt in the form annexed, and that any person found guilty of having made a false declaration will forfeit his appointment.

2. The District Judges and Commissioners of Requests are hereby required to report to the Colonial Secretary every case of a Public Officer against whom proceedings are taken in bankruptcy, or who becomes a judgment-debtor.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1899.

Declaration to be made by every Person who shall for the first time enter
the Service of the Government of Ceylon in a Post with a Salary
not exceeding Rs. 300 a Month.

I, _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am at present free from pecuniary embarrassment, and have no liabilities under promissory notes either as principal or surety.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared at _____, the _____ day of
_____, 189____, before me :

Justice of the Peace.

PROCLAMATIONS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of Her Majesty VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency the Honourable Sir EDWARD NOEL WALKER, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

E. NOEL WALKER.

WHEREAS by section 289 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," it is enacted that if from the absence of a witness or any other reasonable cause it becomes necessary or advisable to postpone the commencement of or adjourn any inquiry or trial, the court may from time to time order a postponement or adjournment on such terms as it thinks fit, for such time as it considers reasonable, and may remand the accused, if in custody, or may commit him to custody or take bail in his own recognizance or with sureties for his appearance; and (2) that no Magistrate shall remand an accused person to custody under the said section for a term exceeding seven days at a time, save and except at such Police Courts as the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, shall from time to time proclaim to be Police Courts at which longer remands may be made, when it shall be lawful to remand accused persons at any such Police Courts for a term not exceeding fourteen days:

And whereas it is expedient to proclaim the Police Court of Panadure to be a Police Court at which longer remands than seven days may be made:

Now know Ye that We, the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim that from and after the Twelfth day of May, 1899, the Police Court of Panadure shall be a Police Court at which longer remands than seven days may be made.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-nine.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

IN the Name of Her Majesty VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency the Honourable Sir EDWARD NOEL WALKER, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

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And whereas it is expedient to proclaim the Police Court of Badulla-Haldummulla to be a Police Court at which longer remands than seven days may be made:

Now know Ye that We, the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim that from and after the Fifteenth day of May, 1899, the Police Court of Badulla-Haldummulla shall be a Police Court at which longer remands than seven days may be made.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-nine.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

IN the Name of Her Majesty VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency the Honourable Sir EDWARD NOEL WALKER, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

E. NOEL WALKER.

WHEREAS by section 289 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," it is enacted that if from the absence of a witness or any other reasonable cause it becomes necessary or advisable to postpone the commencement of or adjourn any inquiry or trial, the court may from time to time order a postponement or adjournment on such terms as it thinks fit, for such time as it considers reasonable, and may remand the accused, if in custody, or may commit him to custody or take bail in his own recognizance or with sureties for his appearance; and (2) that no Magistrate shall remand an accused person to custody under the said section for a term exceeding seven days at a time, save and except at such Police Courts as the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, shall from time to time proclaim to be Police Courts at which longer remands may be made, when it shall be lawful to remand accused persons at any such Police Courts for a term not exceeding fourteen days:

And whereas it is expedient to proclaim the Police Court of Puttalam to be a Police Court at which longer remands than seven days may be made:

Now know Ye that We, the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim that from and after the Fifteenth day of May, 1899, the Police Court of Puttalam shall be a Police Court at which longer remands than seven days may be made.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-nine.

By his Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

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

✓ **Mr. H. WHITE** to the office of Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Executive Council, with effect from 8th May, 1899, in addition to his own duties as Second Assistant Colonial Secretary.

✓ **Mr. H. WHITE** to act as Secretary to the Loan Board with effect from the 8th May, 1899, or until further orders, during the absence on leave of **Mr. H. L. CRAWFORD**.

✓ **Mr. E. ONDATJE** to be Extra Office Assistant at Colombo to the Government Agent, Western Province, in addition to his own duties as Deputy Fiscal, Colombo, and Assistant Superintendent of Hulftsdorp Jail.

✓ **Mr. J. C. MOLAMURE** to act as Extra Assistant at Kegalla to the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Superintendent of the Prison at Kegalla and Additional Superintendent of Police, Kegalla, from the 10th to 23rd May, 1899,

during the absence of **Mr. B. HILL** from the station, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODA to be an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Kegalla.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 12, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that **Mr. A. R. SLATER**, Cadet, be attached to the Colonial Secretary's Office, with effect from the 8th May, 1899.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 8, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. G. M. COOKSON, C.C.S., Superintendent of Police, Colombo, to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Districts of Colombo, Kalutara, and Negombo.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, May 9, 1899.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Dr. O. JOHNSON has been appointed Judicial Medical Officer for the Colombo District, with effect from the 1st May, 1899.

By H. E. the Lieut.-Governor's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, May 10, 1899.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint the following persons to be Inquirers:—

North-Western Province.

Mr. K. M. Ranhami, for Wannu hatpattu, Kurunegala District.

Mr. Gopallawa, for Weudawili hatpattu, Kurunegala District.

Province of Uva.

Mr. F. M. JANSZ, Inspector of Police, Province of Uva, for the Judicial Division of Badulla-Haldummulla.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, May 10, 1899.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

✓ SOLOMON DE SARAM, Police Vidane, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Galahitiyawa division, and as Registrar of Marriages of Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale south division, in the District of Colombo of the Western Province, for fourteen days from the 11th May, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, DON BEMPI JAYAWARDANA, on leave. His office to be at Delgahawatta in Batuwatta.

✓ Mr. S. C. DE COSTA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages of Pamperippu pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for six weeks from the 17th March, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, P. W. DE ROSAIRO, on leave. His office to be at Karativu.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, May 9, 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 Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DANORIS DE SILVA ABEYGOONEWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akuressa division, and Registrar of Marriages of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from the 28th April, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, DON JOHANNES BARESTU AMARAWIRA, on leave. His office will be at Boduwatta in Akuressa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed PETER GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Western Walakada division, and as Registrar of Marriages of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for eight days from the 8th May, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, DON LOUIS GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Julgahawatta in Ambalantota.

The Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed JAMES PEERIS WETTASINHA to act as Registrar of Marriages of the town within the gravets of the Colombo division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from the 9th May, 1899, during the absence of the Registrar, S. P. D. GUNAWARDANA, Muhandiram, on leave. His office will be at No. 61, Maliban street, Pettah.

P. ARUNACHALAM,

Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,

Colombo, May 10, 1899.

IT is hereby notified that the office of Mr. W. A. DE SILVA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Locality No. 5 of the Colombo Municipality, consisting of the Kotahena Ward in the Colombo District of the Western Province, will, with effect from the 1st May, 1899, be at House No. 28, Alutawatta road, and not at No. 247 Alutawatta road, as notified in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st July, 1897.

P. ARUNACHALAM,

Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,

Colombo, May 5, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE President of the Board of Civil Service Examiners has reported that the under-mentioned gentlemen have passed the Law examination prescribed under the Minute of 12th December, 1898 :—

Mr. GEORGE PRINS.

Mr. EDWARD WEINMAN.

TABLE of Marks obtained by the above-mentioned Candidates at the Examination held on
17th April, 1899, and following days.

				Law : per cent.
Mr. GEORGE PRINS	...	...	...	65
Mr. EDWARD WEINMAN	...	...	...	58

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 12, 1899.

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.

By His Excellency the Governor's command,

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

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Board appointed by His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor will sit on the following day 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 :—

May 30, 1899.

Western Province.—Negombo District, viz., Dunugaha, Ragama, and Dasiya pattus of Alutkuru korale north and Hapitigam korale. For a period of one or two years from January 1, 1900.

May 30, 1899.

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

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.

Separate tenders should be made for the several rents as shown above.

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 Kacheheri 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.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 12, 1899.

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H. WHITE,
Government Recordkeeper.

December, 1898.

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

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

The Index to the first five volumes, being Appendix IV., 1891, may be had separately, price 2d.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 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
Two-thirds of a column ...	5	0
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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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Separate Numbers, each ...	0	25

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G. J. A. SKEEN,
Government Printer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the English Mails due in Colombo on May 28 and June 11, respectively, will be delivered about three hours later than usual, as it will be necessary to count, weigh, and classify them in detail for the purpose of taking statistics required by the British Post Office, in connection with the recent reduction in the rate of postage.

J. J. THORBURN,
for Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, May 10, 1899.

Return of Immigrants and Emigrants for the Week ended May 10, 1899.

	Men.	Women.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
Immigrants:—					
Colombo Coolies 180 ...	33	21	8	...	242
Estate Coolies 337 ...	112	43	24	...	516
Emigrants:—					
All classes ...	1,333	397	149	87	*1,966

* Of these, 839 were estate coolies.

J. DONNAN,
Master Attendant.

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

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
78	May 3, 1899	Stone Chapel	Punkudutivu, Islands division, Jaffna District	The Rev. R. C. Hastings, Trustee	Congregational

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

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

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No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
79	May 8, 1899	St. Anthony's Church	Pelandeniya, Hiriya hatpattu, Kurunegala District	The Most Rev. Dr. T. A. Melizan, Archbishop of Colombo, Proprietor	Roman Catholic

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 8, 1899.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

Abstract of Cooly Labourers in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended September 30, 1898.

District.	No. of Estates.	No. of Immigrants.	No. of Births.	No. of Deaths.
<i>Western Province.</i>				
Colombo ...	46	5,339	35	23
Kalutara ...	41	9,116	45	81
<i>Central Province.</i>				
Kandy ...	472	112,890	803	799
Matale ...	93	16,956	125	129
Nuwara Eliya ...	233	78,966	561	581
<i>Southern Province.</i>				
Galle and Matara ...	34	3,352	20	35
<i>North-Western Province.</i>				
Kurunegala ...	57	2,550	12	44
<i>Province of Uva.</i>				
Badulla ...	129	30,999	234	212
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>				
Ratnapura ...	50	10,879	79	118
Kegalla ...	114	33,704	247	308

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 8, 1899.

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Conveyance of Government Stores, inclusive of Medical Stores," between the under-mentioned stations from July 1, 1899, for three years, will be received by the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy, up to noon on Monday, May 29, 1899 :—

Station.	No. of Days required by Cart.	No. of Days required by Cooly.	All Stores, except Furniture, per Cart-load of 20 cwt.	Furniture, Baskets, and other Articles of bulk, per Cubic Foot.	Rate per $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. for Packages from $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards.		Rate per 1 lb. for Packages below $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.		Rate per lb. blasting Powder.		Rate per cwt. per Mile for Stations not mentioned in Column No. 1.	
					By Cart.	By Cooly.	By Cart.	By Cooly.	By Cart.	By Cooly.	By Cart.	By Cooly.
Matale to Anuradhapura ...												
Anuradhapura to Matale ...												
Matale to Habarana ...												
Do. Topawewa ...												
Do. Elagama ...												
Do. Madatugama ...												
Do. Kekirawa ...												
Do. Kalawewa ...												
Do. Maradankadawala ...												
Do. Tirappane ...												
Do. Galkulam ...												
Do. Mihintale ...												
Do. Rambewa ...												
Do. Kahatagasdigiliya ...												
Do. Madawachchi ...												
Do. Dambulla ...												
Do. Kongahawala ...												
Do. Galewala ...												
Do. Mahawala ...												
Do. Nalanda ...												
Do. Rattota ...												
Do. Inamaluwa ...												
Do. Gammaduwa ...												
Do. Naula ...												

Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, Colombo, 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 Kachcheries at Kandy, Matale, and Anuradhapura, 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 the contract.

Two securities of Rs. 25 each will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Persons desirous of tendering separately for transport of stores in North-Central Province and Matale District may do so on the prescribed form, but the Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of the tender.

The security bond should be perfected before June 30, 1899.

Kandy Kachcheri,
May 2, 1899.

ALLANSON BAILEY,
Government Agent.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails," will be received at the Postmaster-General's Office up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 5, 1899, for a period of four years from July 1, 1899, to June 30, 1903 :—

For the conveyance of mails by steamer or other boat between the Colombo jetty and mail steamers (except those of the P. & O., M. M., and Orient Companies) on their arrival in or for their departure from the Colombo Harbour.

The tenders must be made in duplicate, the original is to be forwarded by the tenderers direct to the Postmaster-General, while the duplicate shall be sent on the same day to the Hon. the Auditor-General.

The tenders must be made upon forms which will be supplied on application to the Postmaster-General, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

Any alterations in a tender must bear the initials of the tenderer or tenderers, otherwise it will be rejected.

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 the contract.

Security to the amount of Rs. 500 will be required. From this sum the Postmaster-General will meet the cost of carrying on the service when he may deem it to be

necessary to incur expenditure on account of the contractor's failure to comply with the conditions of the contract.

Security must be completed by June 30, 1899, deposit of the above amount in cash.

The contractor will be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 a day for using or allowing to be used for the service under this contract a boat which has been condemned by the Postmaster-General or any of his Assistants, or by any other competent officer.

The hours of arrival and departure of the boats to be according to the arrival or departure of mail steamers.

Extra boats must be supplied at all times when required, without any charge.

Fines will be imposed by the Postmaster-General for all delays and irregularities.

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

In case of repeated delays or irregularities the contract will be cancelled.

Further particulars can be obtained on application at the Postmaster-General's Office, Colombo.

By order,

J. J. THORBURN,
Assistant Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, May 9, 1899.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Work, Province of Uva, 1899," will be received up to noon on Saturday, June 3, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned service :—

For constructing Ward A on block plan and one latrine at the Madagana Hospital in the Passara District, Province of Uva.

2. Plan and specification for the above work can be seen at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla.

3. 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 to be forwarded at the same time.

4. Time required for the completion of the work should be stated in the tender. Tenders not giving this information will be rejected.

5. Tenders are to be made in forms which will be supplied upon application at the Badulla Kacheheri. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished in 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 the contract.

7. The deposit should be made at the local Kacheheries or General Treasury, and deposit receipt produced when applying for forms.

8. Cash security will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the security will be decided by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva.

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. 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.

11. 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 will 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 tenderer's own lawyer, the name or stamp of the Proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

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

Public Works Department,
Colombo, May 5, 1899.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Work, Province of Uva, 1899," will be received up to noon on Saturday, June 3, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned service :—

For constructing a Post and Telegraph Office at Naula in Badulla District, Province of Uva.

2. Plan and specification of the above work can be seen at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla.

3. 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 to be forwarded at the same time.

4. Time required for the completion of the work should be stated in the tender. Tenders not giving this information will be rejected.

5. Tenders are to be made in forms which will be supplied upon application at the Badulla Kacheheri. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished in 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 a contract.

7. The deposit should be made at the local Kacheheries or General Treasury, and deposit receipt produced when applying for forms.

8. Cash security will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the security will be decided by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva.

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. Any alteration 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.

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

Public Works Department,
Colombo, May 5, 1899.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supply of Timber, North-Western Province," will be received up to noon on Monday, June 12, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned services :—

For supplying bridge planks and other sawn timber for the use of the Public Works Department during 1899, to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Kurunegala.

2. Rates per cubic foot of sawn timber (jak, palu millilla, &c.) should be given.

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 Assistant at Chilaw, and no tenders 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 deposits will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract. A cash deposit to the amount of about 10 per cent. on the amount of the contract will be required for the due fulfilment of same.

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, May 5, 1899.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the supply of Rice, Southern Province," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 5, 1899, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned service from July 16, 1899, to July 15, 1900:—

For the supply of sulai rice of the best quality for the use of the Public Works Department at the places named below:—

Galle District.

- (1) Delivered anywhere within the Four Gravets of Galle.
- (2) Delivered anywhere outside the limits of the Four Gravets, Galle.

Matara District.

- (1) Delivered anywhere within the Local Board limits of the town of Matara.
- (2) Delivered anywhere outside the limits of the Local Board of Matara.

Hambantota District.

- (1) Delivered anywhere in the town of Hambantota.
- (2) Delivered outside the limits of the town of Hambantota (at Kirinda, Beliata, Ranne, Mamadola, Wirawila, Tissa, and Tangalla).

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.

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

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.

Deposits should be made at any of the local Kachcheries, or General Treasury, Colombo, and deposit receipts produced when applying for forms.

Accepted tenderer will be required to give sufficient security in cash for the due fulfilment of the contract, the amount to be decided by the Provincial Engineer, Galle.

The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.

A quarter measure of rice must be sent to the Provincial Engineer's Office, Galle, as sample, bottled, sealed, and labelled with the name of the tenderer, on or before the said June 5, 1899.

The person whose tender is accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having security bond prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bond will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderer's own lawyer, in which case the lawyer's name or stamp should be affixed to the document.

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

H. WARD,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, May 6, 1899.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Kegalla, on June 15, 1899, at 2 P.M.:—

- | | |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 adze | 150 pickaxes |
| 1 anvil | 4 planes (assorted) |
| 10 augers (assorted sizes) | 5 powder canisters, tin |
| 4 barrels, tar, empty | 12 rammers, copper-tipped |
| 1 pair bellows | 1 scale, copper, small |
| 4 billhooks and coytas | 2 shovels and spades |
| 7 chisels (assorted sizes) | 1 spanner, shifting |
| 2 drums | 1 steel-bladed square |
| 2 files, large, rubber | 1 saw, cross-cut |
| 6 files (assorted sizes) | 1 saw, hand |
| 5 forges, portable | 2 tongs, smiths' |
| 1 glazier's diamond | 13 tubs, water |
| 1 grinding-stone | 9 trowels, masons' |
| 150 hammers, hand | 8 wire screens |
| 22 hammers, sledge, iron | 1 clock |
| 64 hammers, sledge, half | 1 table |
| 48 hammers, miners' | 6 hand carts, iron |
| 150 mamoties | 1 roller |
| 2 masons' spirit levels | |

H. A. MARTIN,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, May 9, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Kalutara, on June 21, 1899, at 2 P.M.:—

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 3 augers (assorted sizes) | 64 hammers, hand |
| 10 barrels, tar, empty | 1 hammer, sledge |
| 1 barrel | 21 hammers, miners' |
| 6 billhooks and coytas | 23 kegs |
| 8 bits for braces | 2 planes (assorted) |
| 1 brush, whitewashing | 8 powder canisters, tin |
| 4 buckets, water, wooden | 5 porowas |
| 48 buckets, water, galvanized | 5 shovels and spades |
| 5 cans, tin | 4 tubs, water |
| 10 cases, packing | 1 winch, crab |
| 3 casks, wooden | 4 road rollers |
| 1 chisel | 6 hand carts |
| 5 crowbars, claw | 1 rain gauge |
| 6 files (assorted sizes) | 1 measuring glass |

H. A. MARTIN,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, May 10, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Passara, on June 24, 1899, at 3 P.M. :—

8 barrels, tar, empty	163 mamoties
9 billhooks and coytas	146 pickaxes
1 bushel measure, galvanized iron	5 perowas
6 cans, tin	20 rakes
15 cans, iron	9 rammers, copper-tipped
2 casks, wooden	1 saw, hand
3 chisels (assorted sizes)	1 square, iron-figured
2 files (assorted sizes)	1 tong, smith's
100 hammers, hand	1 tub, water
15 hammers, sledge, iron	1 tub, 8-gallon, round, feeding
3 hammers, sledge, half	1 hand cart
29 hammers, miners'	1 trolley wheel

H. A. MARTIN,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, May 10, 1899.

LIST of unclaimed articles found in postal packets received at the Returned Letter Office during the quarter ended March 31, 1899, to be sold by public auction at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 16th instant, at 3 P.M. :—

1 bana book	1 lot tea
1 lot lace and ribbons	1 packet envelopes
2 frocks	1 lot pictures
1 old banian	1 lot Christmas cards
1 curved comb	1 lot books
2 bottles eucalyptus oil	1 lot sundries
1 metal watch	1 lot illustrated papers
5 pairs fancy bracelets	1 lot magazines
1 set fancy studs	1 lot pamphlets
5 coat buttons	1 lot old papers
1 table ornament	

J. J. THORBURN,
Assistant Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, May 9, 1899.

[Received after closing of Part III.]

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, May 17, 1899, at 2 P.M., will be put up for re-sale at the Colombo Kachcheri, at the risk of the original purchasers, for the periods mentioned below, the under-mentioned Arrack Rent of the Western Province, the original purchasers of which may have failed to pay on or before that date the instalment for the month of April, 1899.

The purchasers at the re-sale should deposit one-tenth of the purchase amount on the day of sale.

From June 1, 1899, to December 31, 1900.

Arrack Rents.—Colombo.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, May 12, 1899.

F. R. ELLIS,
Government Agent.

මෙහි පහත සඳහන්වන කාලවලට බස්නාහිර දිසාවේ මෙහි පහත සඳහන්වන අරක්කු රේන්දය පළමු ගැනුම්කරයින් විසින් වර්ෂ 1899 ක්ව අප්‍රේල් මාසේ මාස මුදල වර්ෂ 1899 ක්ව මැයි මස 17 වෙනි දිනදී නොපැයූ රට පුරාම දිනකදී නොගෙව්වොත් ඔහුන්ගේ අලාභයට වෙනුව එකී රේන්ද වර්ෂ 1899 ක්ව මැයි මස 17 වෙනි බද්ද දවල් 2කේ කනිසමට කොළඹ කවිවේරියේදී නැවත විකුනන බව මෙයින් දන්වනුය. නැවත විකිනීමේදී ගැනුම්කරයින් විසින් ගත් මුදලෙන් දහසෙන් කොටසක් විකිනීම දෙසෙදී මෙහි තබන හට ඔහුය.

වර්ෂ 1899 ක්ව ජුනි මස 1 වෙනි දින පටන් වර්ෂ 1900 දෙසැම්බර් මස 31 වෙනි දින දක්වා :

කොළඹ අරක්කුරේන්දයද.

වර්ෂ 1899 ක්ව මැයි මස 12 වෙනි දින කොළඹ කවිවේරියේදීය.

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අණ්ඩුවේ එජන්ත වර්ත.