No. S. 350.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for making Tree Pits, Planting Trees and Sowing Seeds in situ", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Saturday, the 15th day of November, 1924, for making tree pits, planting trees and sowing trees in situ for the Botanical and Forestry Department during the year 1925.

For forms of tender, specifications and further particulars apply at this Office.

No tender will be considered unless the person tendering produces a receipt to the effect that he has deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum of \$100 as a pledge of the bona fides of his offer, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown, if such person shall refuse to carry out his tender, should his tender be accepted.

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

H. GREEN,
Superintendent.

31st October, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 351.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for the supply of Rations for Indian Police", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Friday, the 14th day of November, 1924, for the supply of Rations for the Indian Police Force for twelve months commencing 1st January, 1925.

The conditions are as follows:

- 1. The Contractors shall supply such numbers of rations at such time and place as may be ordered in writing by the Superintendent or by any officer authorised in writing by the Superintendent to sign indents for rations. No rations supplied without a duly signed indent will be paid for. Indents will be sent one day previous to the issue.
- 2. A ration will be composed of the following articles:—

Atta		 	 	1 11	5. 8	oz.
Dhall		 	 		2	,,
Ghee		 	 		$2\frac{1}{2}$,,
Masala	ι,	 •••	 		23	,,
Salt		 •••	 		$\frac{2}{3}$,,

- 3. All provisions shall be issued by the Contractors from their stores.
- 4. All provisions shall be issued thrice a month on dates as agreed.
- 5. All provisions will be delivered by the Contractors free of charge for carriage and in good condition at such stations as may be required.
- 6. All articles shall be of the best quality of their several kinds. The supplies shall be subject on delivery to the inspection and approval of the Superintendent of Police or officer acting for him and if any article shall be found not of the quality contracted for, it shall be rejected, and the Superintendent or such officer as aforesaid may either require the Contractors to replace the articles rejected by supplies of unobjectionable character or he shall be at liberty to purchase supplies in lieu of those rejected and to deduct the cost of such purchase from any monies payable to the Contractors.
- 7. In case the Contractors fail to deliver the supplies demanded as and when directed, the Superintendent shall be at liberty to purchase the necessary supplies and deduct the expenses which may be incurred on account thereof from any monies payable to the Contractors.
- 8. The weights and measures shall be in all cases standard weights and measures as required by the Weights and Measures Ordinance, 1885.