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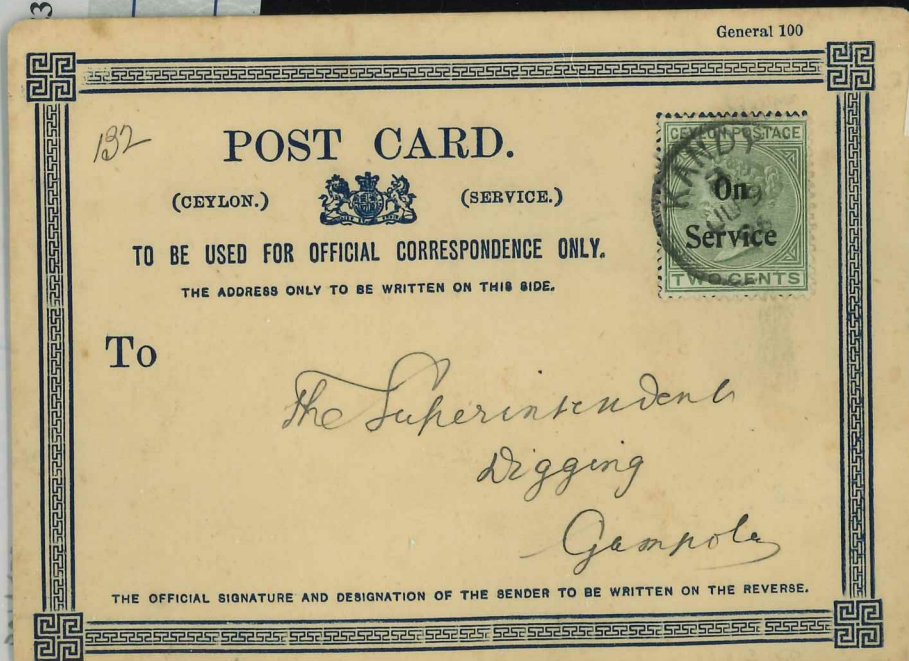
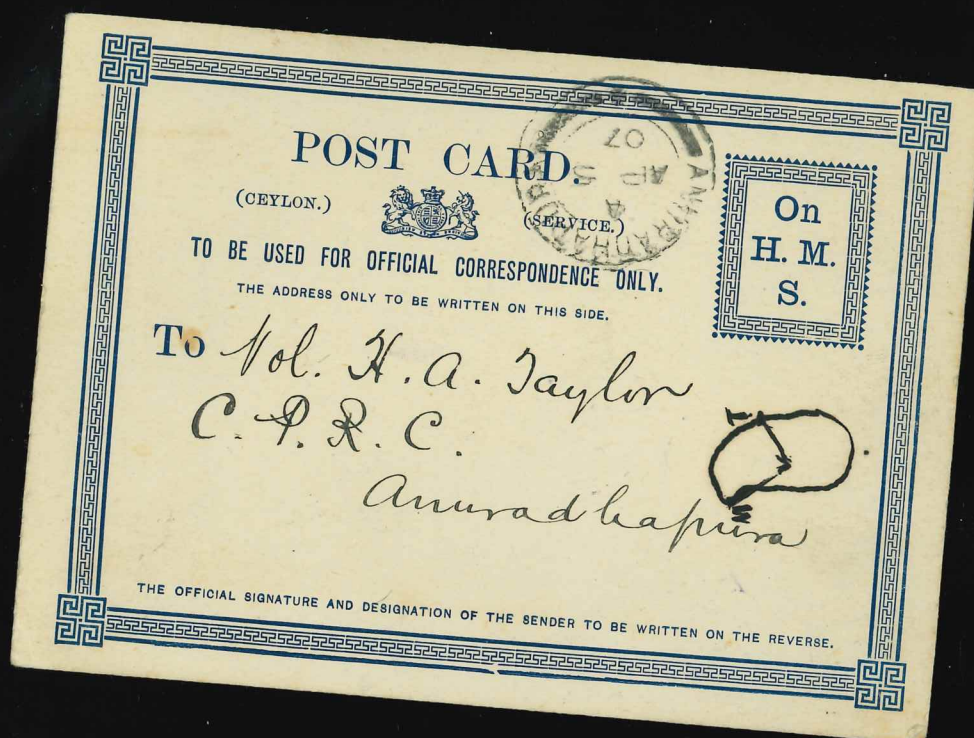
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1896 2c o/p ON SERVICE formula postal stationery card
(requests immigrant labour return) addressed to Gampola with
KANDY c.d.s. (1)

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To *Serj. Clarke*
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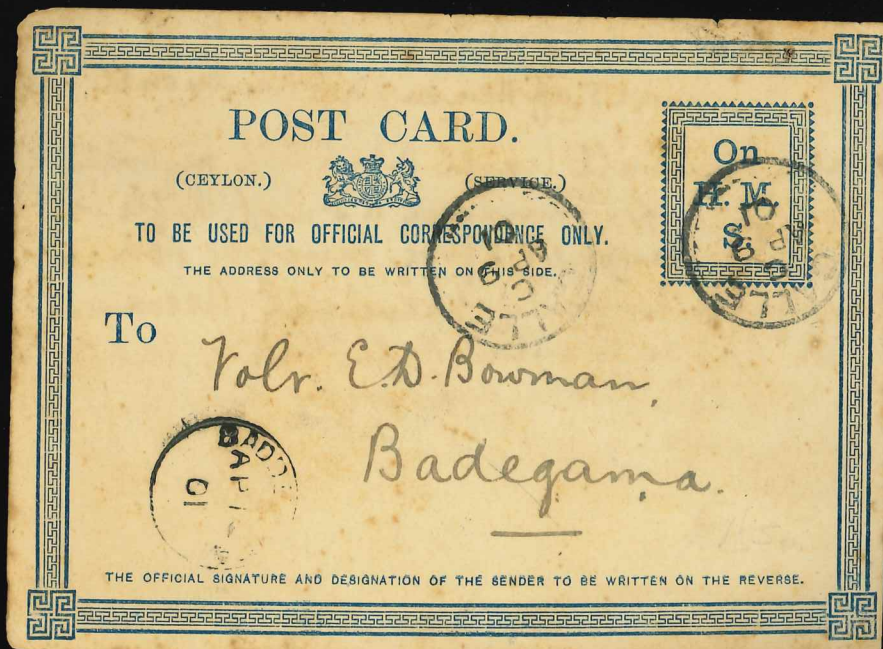
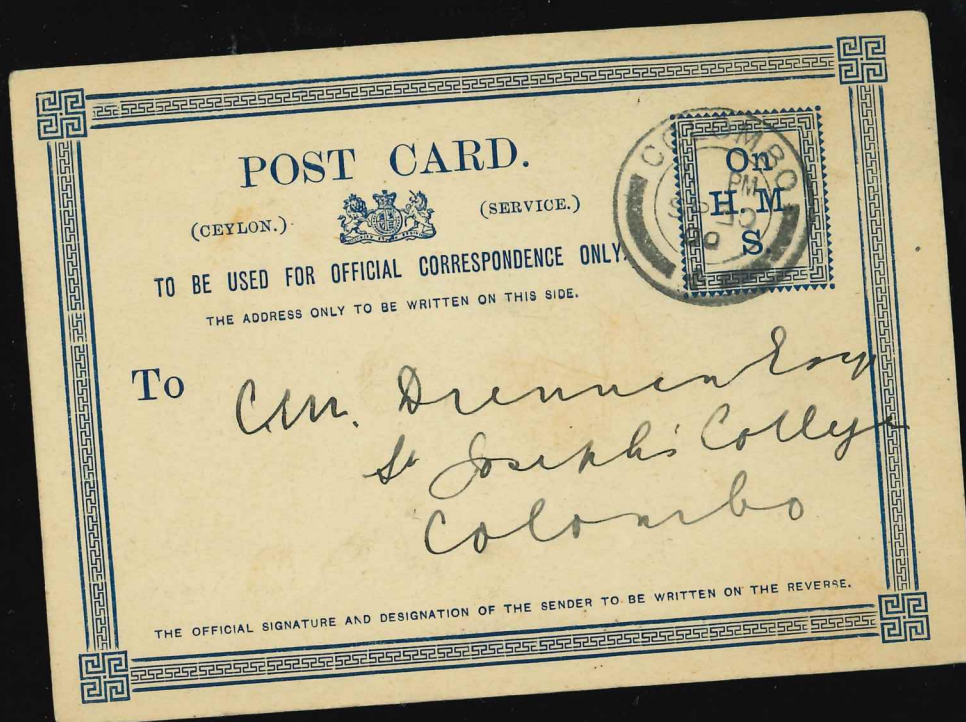
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REVERSE SIDES OF PREVIOUS SCAN

COLOMBO RIFLE CORPS.

Drills will be held on the Rifle Green every Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m., and on Thursdays, at 5-15 p.m. Any change will be notified in "Orders" published in the Daily Papers.

All arrangements for shooting to be made with the Sergt.-Mjr., C. V. Headquarters, Pettah, to whom names and dates should be sent direct.

Trains leave the Terminus on week days at 6 a.m., and the Junction at 6-10 a.m. and 6-30 a.m., arriving back about 9-30.

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C.P.R.C.

Guard of Honour at Kandy on 12th inst.

Members will travel per 5-35 p.m. train from Galle on Thursday 11th inst. Rifle, belt, 1 pouch, bayonet & frog must be obtained at Galle Armonny previously. Accommodation provided in Planter's Hall, Kandy, but bedding to be taken. Warrants for Ry. travelling will be provided.

Thos Capt C.
Comd of 3rd Co C.

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Sergt. C.P.R.C.
Section Leader,
Galle Section.
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To
Mr. A. J. Fernando.
Stamp Vanda
H. M. S. Colombo

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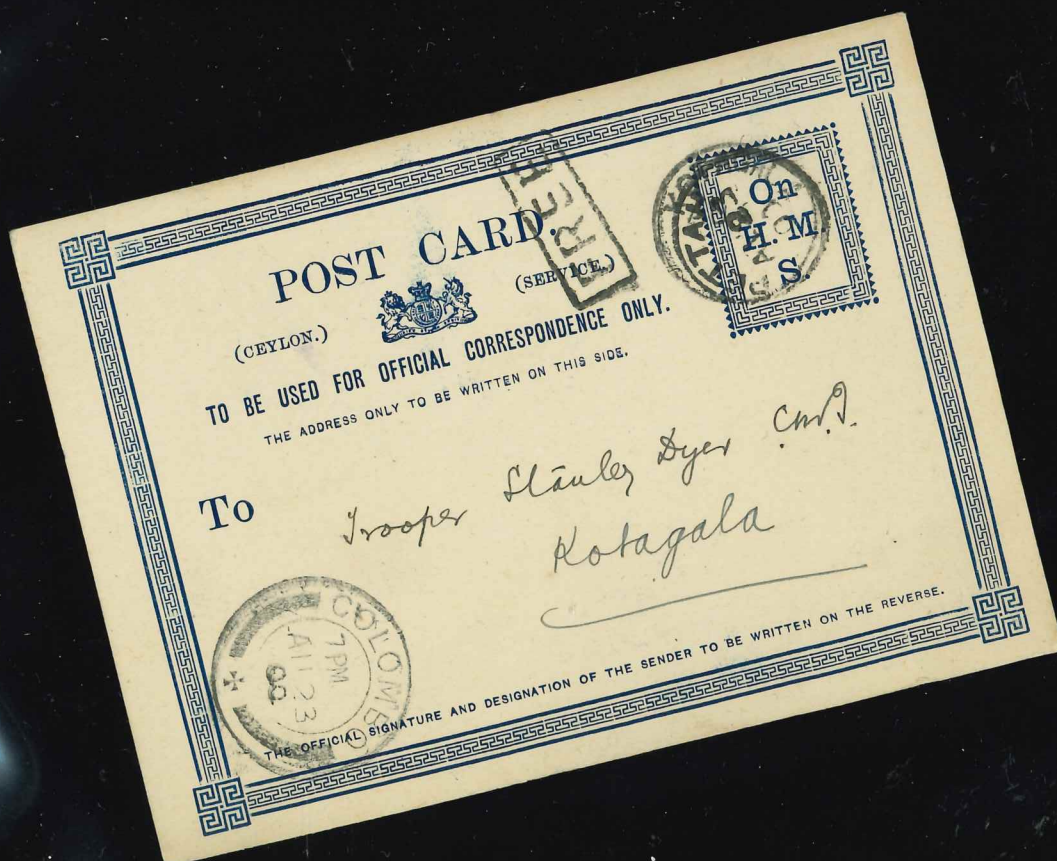
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To
The Superintendent,
Gaulpaha Estate,
Udappussalawa

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5. Auxiliary Markings

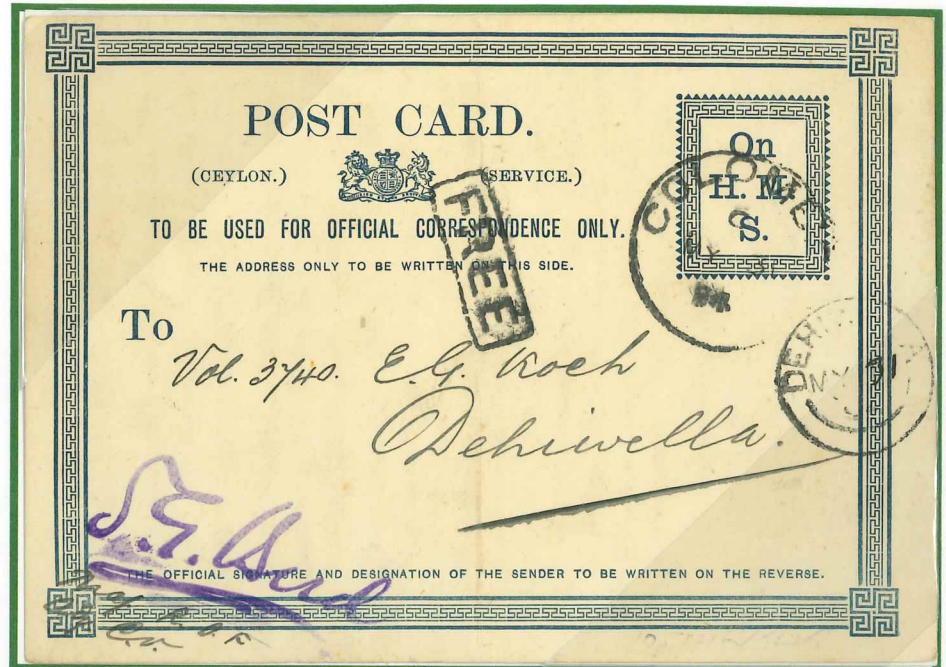
5.5 Official Paid, Free Mail, Military

FREE May 30, 1894
FREE September 20, 1900
FREE September 30, 1902

FREE

Marking in Use:
1892 - 1900
Kandy Format

Military Free Mail in Ceylon is found on the On H. M. S postcards. This mail often included the Free handstamp marking. The Ceylon Planters Rifle Corps (CPRC) was very active in Ceylon leading up to the Boer War. The CPRC was a voluntary military corp centered in Kandy. Correspondence is mail to volunteers with notifications of drills. Marked with boxed Free handstamps and often sent to remote tea plantation volunteers.

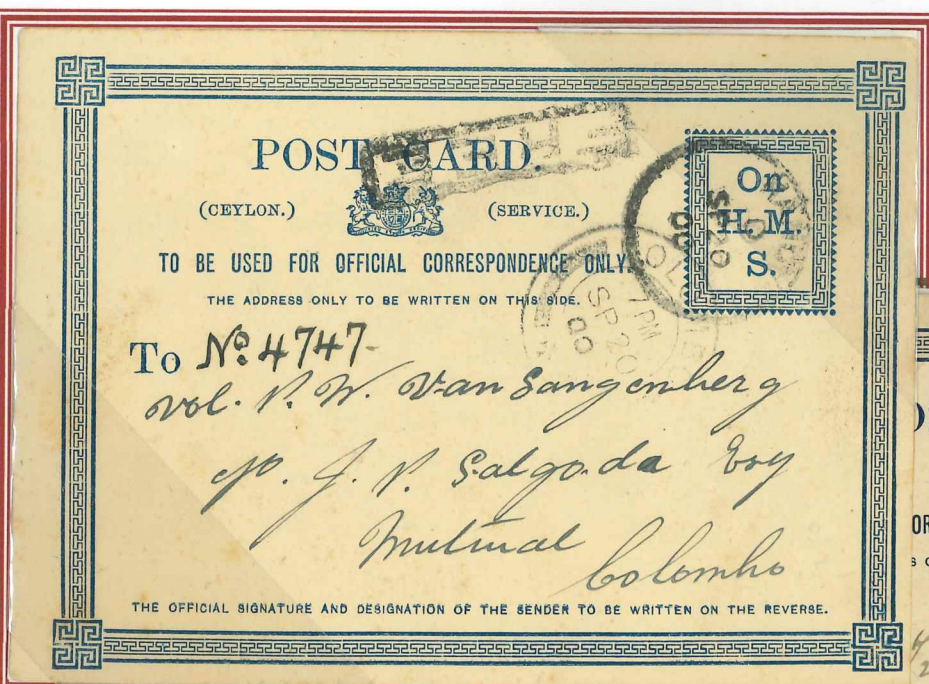


→From: Colombo
May 30, 1894

To: Dehiwella

Rate: Free. From: Lieutenant Corporal, Section
Commander Two, Company A regarding Parade
of Inspection dress.

↓Latest Recorded Use:
September 20, 1900
Kandy Large Boxed Free



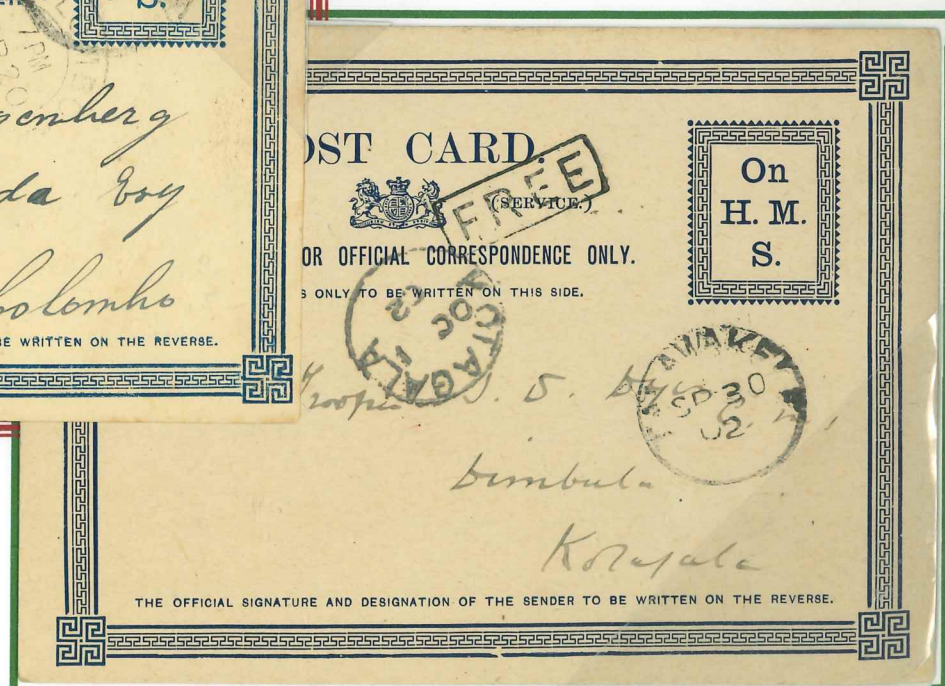
←From: Kandy To: Mutwal, Colombo
September 20, 1900

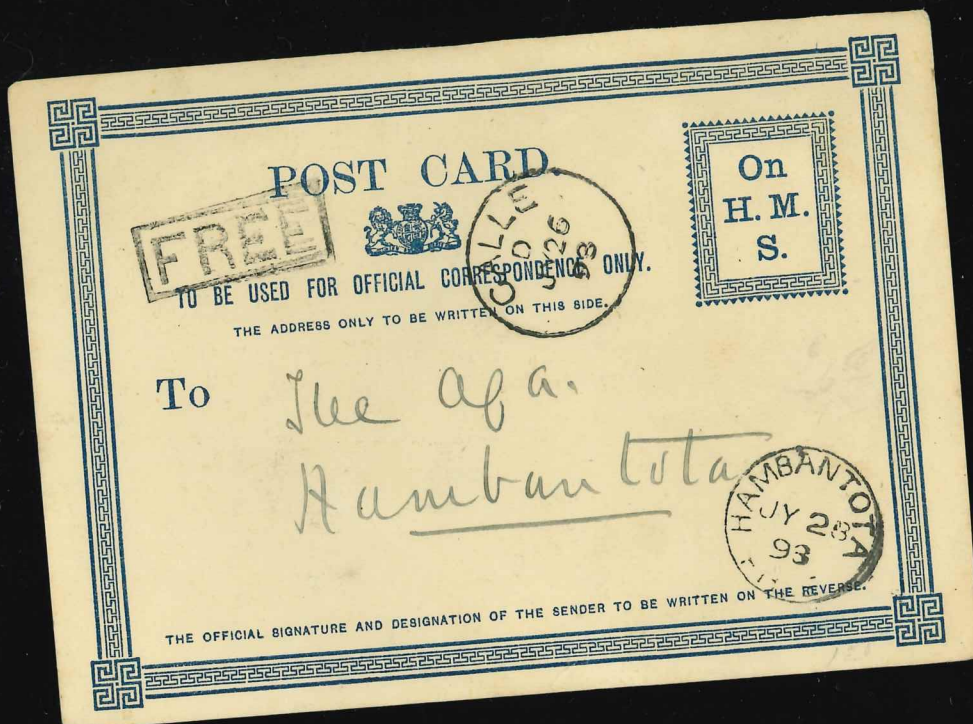
Rate: Free. Large Boxed Free used in Kandy.
To a volunteer regarding a mobilization parade.

→From: Talawakele
September 30, 1902

To: Kotagala

Rate: Free. From Captain, Acting Adjutant,
Company C to trooper at Dimbula Tea Estate
regarding a scheduled drill.





Marking: Anoradhapoora

FREE April 29, 1872

OHMS cover sent to Colombo free, marked with Anoradhapoora red free marking.

Official mail, denoted by OHMS here, sent free of postage domestically.

This use a full year earlier than previously recorded

On Her Majesty's Service.

His Excellency

The R^o Hon^{ble}

W. H. Gregory

Queen's House

Colombo.

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Earliest Recorded Use:

April 29, 1872

Anoradhapoora Free Marking



Cancel in use:

1887

20 mm x 20 mm

Only Recorded Use:

Kandy Circular Free Marking

November 21, 1887

Post circular marking replaced this version by 1889.

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செயல்பாடுசத்தமாத்திரம் இந்தப் பகுதி
பெரிய அளவு புகைப்பிடிக்கப்படுகிறது

To

Miss L. Vandy
"Tingleby House"
Kandy



ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.



*Ambrose Fernando Esq.,
93, Victoria Extension Road,
Jesticonn,
South India.*

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*கி.வ.
சு.ப.க. வெய்து செவியாநவநகரத்தி
கெளமிய*

R.M.P

Colombo

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

FREE



The Teacher

Algarua Macdagan

Pasyala Ro

Via Vayangoda

G. D. D. SILVA
SUB-INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS.