

WHITEHALL, September 9, 1897.

The Queen has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to grant the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom unto each of the under-mentioned Gentlemen, and the heirs male of their respective bodies lawfully begotten:—

Alexander Wilson, of Archer House, in the Parish of Ecclesall, in the West Riding of the County of York, Esquire.

The Right Honourable George Faudel Faudel-Phillips, of Grosvenor Gardens, in the Parish of St. George Hanover Square, in the County of London, and of Queen's Gardens, West Brighton, in the County of Sussex, Lord Mayor of the City of London.

Sir James Reid, K.C.B., M.D., of the Chesnuts, in the Parish of Ellon, in the County of Aberdeen, one of Her Majesty's Physicians in Ordinary.

Sir John Blundell Maple, of Childwick Bury, in the Parish of St. Michael's St. Albans, in the County of Hertford, and of Clarence House, Clarence Terrace, in the Parish of St. Marylebone, in the County of London.

David Gamble, Esq., C.B., of Windlehurst, in the Parish of St. Helen's, in the County Palatine of Lancaster.

John Gilmour, of Lundin and Montrave, in the Parishes of Largo and Scoonie, in the County of Fife, and of South Walton, in the Parish of Mearns, in the County of Renfrew, Esquire.

Theophilus Peel, of Tyersall Hall, in the Parish of Calverley, in the West Riding of the County of York, Esquire.

James Pender, of Thornby Hall, in the Parish of Thornby, in the County of Northampton, Esquire.

Frederick Ripley, of Acacia, in the Parish of Rawdon, in the West Riding of the County of York, Esquire.

Thomas Smith, of Stratford Place, in the Parish of Saint Marylebone, in the County of London, Esquire, Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, one of Her Majesty's Surgeons Extraordinary, and Senior Surgeon of Saint Bartholomew's Hospital.

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The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George Nicholas Scott, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Imperial Order of St. Stanislaus of the First Class, St. Anne of the Third Class, and St. Vladimir of the Third Class, which decorations have been conferred upon him by their late Majesties the Emperors Alexander II. and Alexander III. of Russia, and by His Majesty the Emperor Nicholas II., respectively, in recognition of services rendered by him whilst actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's Dominions as Consulting Physician to the Hospitals of Moscow, the Moscow Medical Board, and the numerous Hospitals and Schools belonging to the Institute of the Empress Marie.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

September 10, 1897.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

September 6, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors)—Samuel M'Nicol, Robert North, Alfred Pegrum, James Cameron Reunie, Arthur Henry Walker.

Customs: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors)—Thomas John Charles Body.

Registrar-General's Office, Ireland: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—Charles Conacher Robertson.

Science and Art Department; Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—Charles Albert Thomas Paris.

War Office: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors)—Philip Marsden Comber, Ernest James Norris.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London—Isabella Myers Master-ton.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Malta Dockyard, Smith—Salvatore Fiorini.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Henry Cooper Coleby.  
Assistant Matron—Mary Richardson.

Post Office: Postman, London—Ernest Albert Bell.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—Joseph James Cooper (Belfast), Frank Savin (Bristol).

Postmen—John Thomas Hales (Eastbourne), Thomas Hardie (Alexandria).

September 7, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors)—Percy William David Izzard, William Frederick Langford, David Horace Mansell, Edward Chamberlain Ridge.

Customs: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors)—Arthur John Rouse, William Arthur Scrimgeour.

Prisons Department, England: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—William Thomas Hall.

Reformatories Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—William Turver.

Post Office: Girl Clerks in the Savings Bank Department—Barbara Lees, Agnes Macleod Scott.

Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London—Edith Louise Beveridge.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Female Typist in the Secretaries' Office—Caroline Swindells.