

has retired from the service, and to grant the Certificate required under section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic. cap. 60).

The fee to be paid to every Lascar, or other person, in respect of whom such certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

#### TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 25th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vict. cap. 2, and 52 Vict. cap. 6, to the amount of £1,500,000, in replacement of Bills falling due on the 2nd March.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 2nd March 1898, and will be payable at three months, or six months, or twelve months, after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz., on the 2nd June, or 2nd September next, or 2nd March 1899 respectively.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.*

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Saturday the 26th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Wednesday the 2nd proximo.

6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 18th February 1898.

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 16, 1898.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant Surveyor of Taxes in the Department of Inland Revenue, held on the 18th January 1898 and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 9th November 1897, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first thirty-four places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Murray, Edward . . .	Dublin
2	Eborall, Ernest Arthur . . .	London
3	Jago, George . . .	London
4	Sellers, Charles Henry . . .	London
5	Best, William Stephen . . .	London

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
6	Turner, Alexander Kingsley . . .	London
7	Francis, Sydney Herbert . . .	London
8	Cram, David . . .	London
9	Orr, Edward John . . .	Dublin
10	Mitchell, James William . . .	London
11	Greenwood, Frederick . . .	London
12	Barnes, Frederick Clifton . . .	London
13	Collyer, Ernest William . . .	London
14	Burrows, John Henry . . .	London
15	Osler, Richard William . . .	London
16	Hall, James Winskill . . .	London
17	Connor, Francis James . . .	London
18	Todd, James Jackson . . .	London
19	M'Cabe, Gerald Patrick . . .	Dublin
20	Cooksey, Frederick James . . .	London
21	Smyth, John George . . .	London
22	Collins, Ernest John . . .	London
23	Lane, Herbert Hardingham . . .	London
24	Watts, Francis Thomas Field . . .	London
25	Stewart, John Walter . . .	Edinburgh
26	Woodifield, Charles Gifford . . .	London
27	Rowe, Arthur . . .	London
28	Bensted, Carlyle Cecil . . .	London
29	Jennings, Christian . . .	Dublin
30	Scott, Charles Caldee . . .	Edinburgh
31	Grainger, Joseph Francis . . .	London
32	Macleod, William . . .	London
33	Robertson, Albert George . . .	London
34	Paul Rupert Aiken . . .	London

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 18, 1898.

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

January 28, 1898.

#### AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Assistant Victualling Storekeeper in Her Majesty's Naval Establishments at Home and Abroad—George Herbert Trego Simmons. (Amended notice.)

February 14, 1898.

#### AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerk—Charles James Davies.  
Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—Frank Langham.  
Post Office: Woman Clerk, London—Mabel Augusta Wilson.

#### AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerks—Arthur David Wemyss, Herbert James Woodward.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum: Boy Attendant—John Otley Marshall.