CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, May 5, 1899.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :-

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant of Customs in the Department of Her Majesty's Customs.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

- 1. The limits of age for this situation are 18 and 21. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the month in which the Examination is held.
- Candidates must be unmarried and without family, unless they are already serving in the Customs Department.
- 3. No Candidate will be eligible for appointment who is less than 5 ft. 4 in. in height and $32\frac{1}{2}$ in. round the chest, or who, if 5 ft. 10 in. and upwards in height, is less than 35 in. round the chest.
- 4. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :-Maximum Marke.
 - 1. Handwriting... 400 2. Arithmetic 800 Composition, including 3. English
 - ... 800 Orthography ... 4. Geography (general) 400 5. Digesting Returns into Summaries 400
 - 6. Copying Manuscript (to test accuracy) 400

No subjects are obligatory, but no Candidate will be regarded as qualified who fails to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency.

- 5. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners may appoint.
- 6. A fee of £1 will be required from each Candi late attending the Examination.

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The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Clerk in the Department of Her Majesty's General Register House, Edinburgh, will be held in Edinburgh, commencing on the 11th July 1899, under the Regulations dated 6th August 1897, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 22nd June, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

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

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AFIER OPER COMPETITION.

Prison Commission, Scotland: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor) --- Albert Adams Norris.

Science and Art Department: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor) - George Stanley Brown.

Scotch Education Department: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—Robert Kennedy.

Post Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor) -William Henry Stevens.

Women Clerks-Lizzie Adams, Ethel Kate Caroline Hagan, Catherine Lockerbie Harlow, Augusta Mary Oates.

Female Sorter, London-Gertrude Swift.

Female Learner, London-Blanche Isabella Edwards.

AFTER LIMITED COMPENTION,

Post Office: Male Learner, Manchester-George Hudson.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum (Natural History): Boy Attendant)—Ernest George Gentry.

Post Office: Postmen, London-Arthur Thomas Chapman, Arthur James Sims, Walter James Thomson, Harry Wright.

Postman, Dublin-Arthur M'Guirk.

Skilled Telegraphist, Musselburgh - Annie Low Paterson.

Learners - Williamson Richard Andrew (Peterborough), Alice Gertrude Ash (Stokeon-Trent), Wilfrid Barratt (Towcester), Sarah Dalton Bamber (Preston), Gertrude Annie Burch (Tenby), Charles Daniel Grant (Burnley), Elizabeth Clayton Gregson (Barrow-in-Furness), Agnes Kerr (Barrow-in-Furness), Herbert George Pedder (Margate), Margaret Charlton Herbert Ramsay (Sunderland), Elsie Lilian Sheppard (Ventnor), Isahella Stokel (Sunderland), Henry Francis Taylor (Weston-super-Mare), Elsie May Woodward (Stroud).

Postmen — George Frederick (Brighton), George Cleveley (Dudley), William John Horn (Exmouth), Frederick Thompson Smith (Carlisle), James Stewart (Brechin).

May 2, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

dmiralty; Assistant Clerks (Abstractors) — Ernest Melmoth Atkinson, William Donald Admiralty; Fraser.