

Temporary Assistant Postman, Dublin—Joseph Somerville.

Sub-Postmistress, Milborne Port—Ann Sarah Gilbert Blandford.

Learner, Leatherhead—Raymond John Jones.

Postmen—Arthur Coates (Darlington), John Evans (Buckingham), Robert Gilbert Green-shields (Biggar), William John Hudson (Alder-shot), Christopher Johnston (Dumfries), Donald Mitchell (Oban), Alfred Henry Nex (Cullompton), Alexander Brown Singer (Aberdeen), Reginald George Rew Skinner (Manchester).

Temporary Assistant Postmen — Thomas Nelson (Leeds), Herbert Bentley Pownell (Old-ham).

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Royal Mint: Junior Clerk in the Sydney Branch —Edward Montagu Wellisch.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Francis Peter Smyth, Godwin Swift.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Sydney William Cole.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

April 6, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that Open Competitive Examinations for situations as Female Learner in Birmingham, Bristol, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Norwich, Nottingham, Portsmouth, Sheffield, York, Edinburgh, Glasgow, and Dublin, in the Department of the Postmaster-General, will be held on the 22nd May 1900, under the Regulations dated the 11th April 1899, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The Examinations will be held for the number of situations indicated, viz. :—

Birmingham ...	...	Not fewer than	6
Bristol ...	...	"	3
Leeds ...	...	"	6
Liverpool ...	...	"	14
Manchester ...	...	"	12
Norwich ...	...	"	2
Nottingham ...	...	"	1
Portsmouth ...	...	"	2
Sheffield ...	...	"	2
York ...	...	"	1
Edinburgh ...	...	"	2
Glasgow ...	...	"	4
Dublin ...	...	"	4

The Examinations are intended to supply the several Post Offices with persons resident in or near the towns in which they desire to serve. With the under-mentioned exception, Candidates will be allowed to compete only for vacancies in the town in which they apply to be examined.

The exception referred to above is that, for reasons of convenience, at the forthcoming Examinations :—

Candidates for York will be examined at Leeds.

No person will be admitted to any of these Examinations from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 4th May, an application, on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Bella Bashall, late of 52 Dale Street, Chiswick, Middlesex, but the petitioning creditor is unable to ascertain her present residence, actress, spinster.

John Butson, 23 Wormwood Street, in the city of London, and of 22 Batoum Gardens, West Kensington Park, in the county of London.

W. F. Castle, Stanley Cottage, Reynolds Road, Peckham, in the county of London, builder.

Frederic W. F. Collier, The Primrose Club, Park Place, St. James', in the county of London, and 3 Balcombe Street, in the said county.

William Green, 164 Junction Road, Upper Holloway, in the county of London, plumber.

Henry James Maynard, 15 Lansdowne Road, London Fields, Middlesex, and The Aquarium, Westminster, in the same county, shooting gallery proprietor.

Frederic Powis (trading as F. Powis & Co.), trading at 123 Stamford Street, Blackfriars, in the parish of Lambeth, Surrey, and residing at 9 Teddington Park Road, Teddington, Middlesex, indiarubber merchant.

Thomas Manning Trood, residing at 412 Old Kent Road, Surrey, lately residing and carrying on business at the Lord Nelson Public House, Old Kent Road, Surrey, and also lately carrying on business at the Castle Public House, Old Kent Road aforesaid, now out of business, late licensed victualler.

James Taylor, 40 Bombay Street, Witton, Blackburn, in the the county of Lancaster, flagger and slater.

Edward Caswell, 62 Stackpool Road, Bedminster, lately carrying on business at 157 East Street, Bedminster, and also formerly at 3 Chandos Road, Redland, all in the city of Bristol, draper.

Robert Hilton, 16 Hart Street and the Market Place, both in Burnley, Lancashire, fish dealer.

George Smith West, 10 Queen's Gardens, Herne Bay, Kent, and William Henry Piggott, The White Horse Inn, Herring Bay aforesaid, lately carrying on business under the style or firm of West & Piggott at Avenue Road, Herne Bay aforesaid, builders and contractors.

David Hitchings and Frederick Phillips (trading as D. Hitchings & Co.) at 40 Barnardo Street, Tywith, Maesteg, in the county of Glamorgan, bakers.

Alfred Jeremiah Olive, Jolly Tar, The Quay, Carmarthen, licensed victualler.

Ezekiel Hugh Phillips, Ilkeston, Derbyshire, gentleman.

Richard Walker, 35 Brook Street and Wood's Lane, both in Derby, Derbyshire, draper and general dealer.

Samuel Davies, 111 Dudley Port, Tipton, Staffordshire, iron moulder and huckster.

George Hutton, High Street, Crediton, Devonshire, boot and shoe maker.

William Hiscocks, Osborne House, Weston-super-Mare, Somerset, lately residing at Bath Road, and lately carrying on business at Cheap Street, both in Frome, Somerset, grocer.

John Merritt, 44 Priory Road, Gloucester, hay and timber merchant.

Charles Sunderland, 19 Chapel Street, Luddenden, near Halifax, Yorkshire, and Green Mount Works, Hanson Lane, Halifax, clog sole manufacturer.

Alfred Bartle, residing at 2 Charlotte's Terrace, Clarendon Street South, and carrying on business at St. George's Road, both in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, plumber and glazier.

Charles Dibb, 3 Victoria Square, Ella Street, Newland Avenue, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, late commission agent, now traveller.