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 Limited.
 Reid & Donald's Table Water Company,
 Limited.
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 Scottish 'Electrical Lumiscriptor' Company,
 Limited.
 Scottish Guardian Company, Limited.
 Scottish Motor Omnibus and Car Company,
 Limited.
 South Glasgow Property Corporation, Limited.
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Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh,
 11th June 1901.

R. R. MACGREGOR,
 for Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

June 7, 1901.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the Situation of Sorter-Telegraphist Learner in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General.

These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

(a) That their age on the day of the Examination is not less than 16½ nor more than 18½ (the half-year being reckoned by calendar months).

NOTE.—In reckoning age for competition, persons who have served for two full consecutive years in the Army or Navy, or in any civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners, or as Registered Copyists in connection with the Civil Service, may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

(b) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

NOTE.—No Candidate will be eligible for appointment who fails to satisfy the Medical Officers of the Post Office that he is free from any physical defect, disease, or weakness which would be likely to interfere with the proper discharge of his duties, or with his regular and continuous attendance.

Candidates must be at least 5 ft. 2 in. in height, and no officer will be retained in the service who does not attain the height of 5 ft. 4 in. before completing his nineteenth year.

Re-vaccination will be required before appointment unless the Candidate exhibits good marks of primary and secondary vaccination, or good marks of vaccination with definite evidence of having had smallpox.

2. At each Examination the number of Candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. English Composition, to be tested by a Short Essay or Letter on a simple subject.
4. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions, and Percentages).
5. Geography (General).

Candidates who fail 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 will not be regarded as qualified.

4. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service, Engineer Students in the Navy, and Apprentices in his Majesty's Dockyards, must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, dated before the commencement of the competition.

5. No Candidate will be admitted to examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking, signed by his parent or guardian, that he will, if successful, reside either with his parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by such parents or guardians.

6. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

7. A fee of four shillings will be required from every Candidate attending the Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Sorter-Telegraphist Learner in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London, under the foregoing Regulations, on the 11th July 1901.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 50 of the Candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and are duly qualified in other respects.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 27th 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 :—