CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

December 16, 1902.

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

SPECIAL REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant Examiner in the Patent Office Department of the Board of Trade. (Supplementary to the General Regulations respecting Open Competitive Examinations for Situations in the Civil Service included in Schedule A of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870.)

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

1. The limits of age for this situation are 20 and 25, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

2. At the Examination exercises will be set in the following subjects only :---

- 1. English Composition (including Spelling and Handwriting).
- 2. Geometry (Plain and Solid).
- 3. Mechanics and Mechanism.
- 4. Chemistry.
- 5. Electricity and Magnetism.
 6. General Physics, Hydrostatics, Heat, Light, and Sound.
- 7. French or German (translation from the language into English).

No subjects are obligatory, but Candidates must obtain such an aggregate number of marks in the Examination as a whole as may indicate, in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners, a competent amount of general proficiency.

3. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made in the writing of the Candidate, at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

4. A fee of $\pounds 5$ will be required from each Candidate attending an Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant Examiner in the Patent Office, will be held in London, commencing on the 17th February 1903, under the foregoing Regulations.

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 29th January 1903, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

December 12, 1902.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, at an Open Competitive Examination for -situations as Assistant of Customs in the

Department of His Majesty's Customs, held on the 14th and 15th October 1902, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 26th August 1902, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first seventy places :—

No. in	Neme	Locality
Order of Merit.	Name.	of Examination,
1	M'Raith, John Warden .	London
2	Davidson, William James .	Aberdeen
3	Smith, Robert Robertson .	Aberdeen
4	Stead, Kingsley Willans .	Birmingham
$\hat{5}$	Goodwin, George William.	London
6	Broughton, Arthur	London
7	Davies, John	Swansea
8	Poperwell, Francis William	London
9	Gibson, John Hume	London
10	Sharpe, Richard	Bristol
11	Mackie, Robert Brown .	Hull
12	Scott, Bernard	Birmingham
13	Beatlie, Edward Alexander	Edinburgh
14	Whitby, Thomas Straiton .	London
15	Brown, Percy	London
16	Stoddart, Frederic Walter.	Hull
17	Penny, Robert	Aberdeen
18	M'Guire, Charles	Belfast
19	Stewart, William	London
20	Weir, Edward Ambrose .	Dublin
21	MacMahon, Edward Daniel	London
22	Begbey, Charles Vernon . Fuller, William.	London
23		London
24	Glasscock, Percy James	London
0.	George	THE LOUIS
25	Thirsk, Christian Wilkie .	Edinburgh
$rac{26}{27}$	Travers, Percy Ross, Frederick William .	London
27		Edinburgh Belfast
28	M'Mullan, Andrew Cummins, James	Dublin
30	Baker, Lionel James	London
31	Harris, William Makepeace	
32	Bailey, Richard Thomas	
02	Edgar	Distor
33	Walker, George Stanley .	Leeds
34	Hall, Robert Howard .	Plymouth
35	Wratton, Gilbert Alfred .	London
36	Amos, Mawer Cowtan .	London
37	Marshall, George Edwin .	Leeds
38	Boag, Alexander Thomson.	Aberdeen
39	Maclachlan, Dugald	Glasgow
40	O'Dwyer, Patrick Francis .	London
41	Addison, Charles	London
42	Cooke, Arthur Thomas .	London
43	Hewitt, William M. C.	Edinburgh
44	O'Riordan, Ernest Timothy	
45	Beatty, John George.	Dublin
46	Parker, Stephen	London
47	Smellie, Alfred Younger .	Hull
48	Harwood, John Godfray .	Birmingham
49	Foster, Cecil Leopold .	London
50	Daly, Lawrence	Loudon
51	Bone, Alfred Henry .	London
52	Brannon, Francis Augustine	
53	Stanyer, Charles T.	London
54	House, Charles Edward	London
55	Boles, James	Edinburgh
56	Marshall, Alexander Thom- son	Edinburgh
57	Grenan, Mark	Dublin
58	Mullens, Arthur James	Newcastle
59	Mitchell, Arthur .	Birmingham
60	Skuffham, Ernest Charles	London
61	Henderson, John Porter	. London