

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, January 9, 1906.

This day had Audience of the King—

Wang Tschieh, to present Chang Ta Jên's Letter of Recall and his own Credentials as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the Emperor of China.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

January 12, 1906.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Clerk in His Majesty's Stationery Office, will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, commencing on the 13th March 1906, under the Special Regulations dated 24th May 1895, 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 15th February, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

January 12, 1906.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, on the 26th March 1906 and following days, an Open Competitive Examination will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Bedford, Birmingham, Bristol, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Plymouth, Southampton, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Belfast, Cork, and London, under the Regulations dated the 15th September 1905, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, at which Examination not fewer than fifty Candidates will be selected for Clerkships in the Second Division of the Civil Service.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 8th March, an application in the handwriting of the Candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Arthur Ashford 6 Lilian Terrace, Brockley Rise, in the county of London, carrying on business at 8 and 10 Fann Street, Aldersgate Street, in the city of London, builder.

R. Ashton, 92 Essex Road, Islington, in the county of London, fruiterer.

William Barclay, 845 Romford Road, Manor Park, London, grocer.

George William Cloutte, 203 Tuffnell Park Road, in the county of London, clerk.

H. Murch, 104 Latimer Road, Notting Hill, in the county of London, builder.

Alfred Ernest Perkins, Southend, Essex, late of the Northampton Arms, Northampton Street, Bethnal Green, Middlesex, licensed victualler.

John Daniel Wilkins, 128 Brook Street, Aberaman, Aberdare, Glamorgan, builder and contractor.

David Williams, lately residing and carrying on business at the Clothing Mart, Mountain Ash, in the county of Glamorgan, clothier and outfitter.

E. Williams (otherwise Eli Kahn), lately carrying on business at 7 Forchaman Road, Cwmanaman, Aberdare, Glamorgan, jeweller.

John Davies, 11 Bridge Street, Aberystwyth, Cardiganshire, grocer.

Samuel Hall, lately carrying on business at Church Walks, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, now of 6 Bay View Terrace, Great Orme's Head, Llandudno aforesaid, lately a fruiterer and gardener, now a jobbing gardener.

Ernest Albert Edward Marshall, 61 Pitt Street West, Barnsley, Yorkshire, boot repairer.

Thomas Read (trading under the style or firm of Read & Sons), The Mineral Water Works, Holland Road, Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick, and also at 43 Church Road, Aston, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and residing at Manor Lodge, Manor Road, Sutton Coldfield aforesaid, mineral water manufacturer.

Walter Tyler, 215B Deritend, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, boot and shoe factor.

John Fletcher, Carwood House, Chorley New Road, Horwich, Lancs., builder.

Janes Sawyer, 254 Bolton Road, Westhoughton, Lancs., wheelwright.

Herbert Blant Southern, 30 Bury Road, Bolton, Lancashire, and Gloster Works, Bury Road aforesaid, and lately of 24 Bury Road aforesaid, joiner and builder.

Frank Hill, Brooks Farm, Bosham, late of Boxgrove, both in Sussex, farmer.

Michael Goodman, residing at 43 Alexandra Road, Swadlincote, and carrying on business there and at 83 High Street, Newhall, both in the county of Derby, tailor.

Francis Ernest Collins, lately residing at and carrying on business at the Albion Hotel, Bute Road, Cardiff, and now residing at 6 Kyviellog Street, Cardiff, and carrying on business at the Albion Hotel, Cardiff, of no occupation, lately licensed victualler.

John Jones, 57 Coegnant Road, Maesteg, in the county of Glamorgan, lately residing at Edwards Ville Post Office, Treharris, in the same county, colliery tipper, formerly grocer.

Thomas Hodges, 317 High Street, Cheltenham, butcher.

William James Anderson, Stone Cottage, Fillongley, near Coventry, in the county of Warwick, physician and surgeon.

Alfred Charles Nightingale, Hazlehurst, Woodcote Green, Wallington, Surrey, advertisement canvasser.

George Walshaw (trading under the style or firm of Joseph Walshaw & Son), Heckmondwike, in the county of York, wool merchant.

Walter Bickley, Welches, Whimble, Devonshire, cattle dealer.

May Fraser Phillips, The Granville Hotel, Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex, widow.

Herbert Ernest Crussell, residing at Folkestone Road, lately residing and carrying on business at 54 Newland Avenue, and formerly residing at 51 Sculcoates Lane, all in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, labourer, late greengrocer.

Elizabeth Banks, formerly residing at 21 Rockingham Street, 12 Royal Park Road, 27 Rockingham Street, and 7 Back Carlton Grove, and carrying on business at 68A Wade Lane, all in the city of Leeds, now residing at 27 Rockingham Street, Leeds aforesaid, formerly draper, now boarding-house keeper, a married woman, carrying on business separately and apart from her husband.

George Duncan (trading as Emma Duncan), late of 35 Upper Accommodation Road, in the city of Leeds, now residing in lodgings at 5 Warwick Place, Leeds, late confectioner, now out of business.

Clement Henry Fisher, residing at 80 Newland, and carrying on business at 43 Silver Street, both in the city of Lincoln, mercer.

Amos Costen, The Swan Inn, Loose, Kent, farmer.