CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, August 6, 1909.

CANCELLATION OF NOTICE.

The following notice, which appeared in the London Gazette of 3rd July 1908, is cancelled:—

June 6, 1908.

Post Office: Postman, Glasgow-Andrew Lawson.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, August 10, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that, upon a special recommendation from the Postmaster-General, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. James Dow, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to a First Class Clerkship in the Accountant's Office, Edinburgh, in the Department of the Postmaster-General, with a special

certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, August 10, 1909.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Female Learner in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held in London, on the 27th October 1909, under the Regulations dated the 11th December 1908, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 30 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 6th October, an application on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Week ended 7th August 1909, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAG	AVERAGE PRICE.		
Whe				Qrs. 3,490	Bus. 4 5	. s. 44 27	d. 9		
Oats	•••		••• .	2,066	4	22	11		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1902 to 1908.

Corresponding		QU.	ANTITIES SOLI	AVERAGE PRICE.			
Week is		WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
		Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	s. d.	s. d.	8. d.
1902		8,928 7	256 6	1,029 1	31 7	24 9	22 2
1903		18,097 4	242 6	4,892 6	29 11	21 3	18 10
1904		16,784 5	468 7	8,117 2	28 4	19 9 '	17 7
1905		8,184 2	548 2	8,974 5	30 5	22 5	16 11
1906		6,924 5	300 5	4,512 2	30 5	23 0	17 11
1907		18,510 0	322 2	3,459 5	33 5	26 6	21 3
1908		54,437 5	683 6	9,687 1	31 6	23 1	18 9

^{*} Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 3 St. James' Square, London, S.W., 7th August 1909. R. H. REW.