

SCOTTISH BOARD OF HEALTH ACT, 1919.

In pursuance of Section 8 (2) of the Act, notice is hereby given that the Secretary for Scotland proposes at the expiration of thirty days on which each House of Parliament has sat, to submit to His Majesty in Council an Order under Section 4 (4) of the Act providing for the transfer to the Scottish Board of Health of property held by the Local Government Board for Scotland and the Scottish Insurance Commissioners.

Copies of the draft of the proposed Order, which was laid before each House of Parliament on the 24th June, may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office at 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh, or in London at Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C. 2, or 28 Abingdon Street, S.W. 1.

Civil Service Commission,
18th July 1919.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Minister of Pensions, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Albert Edward Green, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division, has been promoted to a Second Class Clerkship in the Ministry of Pensions, with a special certificate granted by the Civil Service Commissioners.

Civil Service Commission,
18th July 1919.

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. :—

Temporary (Reconstruction) Regulations for the selection of Assistant Examiners in the Patent Office, Industrial Property Department of the Board of Trade.

1. *Age.*—Candidates must have been born on or after 2nd August 1889, and not later than 1st August 1899. Provided that in reckoning age for competition persons who have served for two full consecutive years :—

(A) In the Royal Irish Constabulary.

(B) In any Civil Situation other than that of Registered Boy Clerk, to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners.

(C) As Registered Boy Clerks (if appointed on the results of the competition of 22nd September 1908, or any previous competition), may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

2. *Nationality.*—Candidates must be natural-born British subjects and the sons of fathers also natural-born British subjects.

3. *Military Service.*—Candidates must have served in His Majesty's Naval, Military, or Air Forces; provided that a Candidate, who has

been found unfit on grounds of health for general service, has served for at least a year in a Government Department and is recommended by his Department, may also be considered.

4. *Education.*—Candidates ought to have obtained a University degree with Honours in Natural Science or Engineering, or ought to possess the ability that would have enabled them to obtain such a degree.

5. *Health and Character.*—Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners as to their health and character.

Other things being equal, preference will be given by the Selection Board to Candidates who are debarred from active employment by a physical impairment due to the war and not of a nature to interfere with the discharge of the duties of the Office.

6. *Application.*—Candidates must make application on the appropriate form, which may be obtained from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, 6 Burlington Gardens, London, W. 1.

7. *Qualifying Examination.*—Those Candidates who on their Application Forms and any necessary inquiries appear to the Civil Service Commissioners to be eligible will undergo a qualifying examination in the following subjects :—

English Composition.
Précis Writing.
General Knowledge.

together with any one of the following subjects—

(a) General Chemistry, chiefly inorganic.
(b) Electricity and Magnetism.
(c) Mechanics and Mechanism.

and those whom the Civil Service Commissioners judge to approximate to the standard of ability usually obtained from open competitive examinations for this situation will be passed.

For the purpose of the Qualifying Examination and the Competition described below the Candidates will be considered in three groups—

(a) Those who offer Chemistry.
(b) Those who offer Electricity and Magnetism.
(c) Those who offer Mechanics and Mechanism.

8. *Competition.*—Candidates who pass the qualifying examination will be summoned to an interview before a Selection Board. Before Candidates recommended by the Selection Board are appointed the Civil Service Commissioners must be satisfied that they satisfy all the conditions laid down in these Regulations.

9. *Warning.*—Any attempt on the part of the Candidate to enlist support for his application through Members of Parliament, or other influential persons, will disqualify him for appointment. The Selection Board will disregard spontaneous recommendations from persons who are not personally acquainted with the Candidate's work whether at School, at the University, in the Forces, or otherwise.

10. *Fee.*—Every Candidate is required to pay a fee of ten shillings, payable when the Application Form is sent in.