

dates who appear to them to possess the highest qualifications. The decision of the Selection Board will be final. The Board will be constituted by the Civil Service Commissioners in consultation with the authorities of the General Post Office, who will be represented on the Board.

9. The appointment of selected candidates will be subject to their satisfying the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of age, nationality, health and character, and will not be confirmed unless and until they have passed the prescribed period of probation to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General.

10. A fee of 5s will be required from every candidate applying for admission to the competition; this fee is not returnable in any circumstances. A further fee of £4 15s. 0d., being the balance of the prescribed fee of £5, will be required from every candidate selected for appointment, before the issue of the certificate of qualification for appointment.

11. Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons unacquainted with their work, will disqualify them 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 industry or business, in the Forces, or otherwise.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice of a competition to be held under the foregoing Regulations.

The number of appointments to be made on the result of this competition will be not less than 5, provided so many candidates are recommended by the Selection Board as fully qualified.

No person will be considered from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 24th November 1932, an application, in the candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

The date on which the Selection Board will meet will depend upon the number of applications received.

EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1928.

Pursuant to Sections 21 and 22 of the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1928, notice is hereby given that the Scottish Education Department have approved of the amended Scheme entitled

MIDLOTHIAN EDUCATIONAL TRUST SCHEME, 1932,

already published, for the future government and management of the after-mentioned Endowments in the County of Midlothian:—

Charles Smith Endowment, Currie and Glen-corse;
James L. Gray Bursary Fund, Dalkeith;
James Harper Bursary Fund;
Kinnaid Fund and Vogrie or M'Lurg Mortification, Borthwick, Temple, and Stobhill;

Gibson's Bequest, Lasswade;
Davidson's Bequest, &c., Musselburgh and Inveresk;
Moodie's Mortification, Mid-Calder;
Herkes' Bequest, Fala and Soutra;
Stephenson's Bequest, Newbattle;
James A. Todd Fund, Dalkeith;
Rev. Dr. Wright's Endowment, Dalkeith;
Toxide School Annuity Fund, Temple;
Marshall Memorial Medal Fund, Lasswade;
Johnstone Bequest, Heriot;
Delta Medal Fund, Musselburgh;

and that unless within two months from the date hereof a Petition in terms of Section 21 of the said Act is presented to the Scottish Education Department, the Scheme may be approved by His Majesty by an Order in Council without being laid before Parliament.

Printed copies of the said Scheme, price 5d. per copy (post free, 5½d.), may be had on application to His Majesty's Stationery Office, 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2.

W. W. M'KECHNIE,
Secretary to the Scottish Education
Department.

14 Queen Street, Edinburgh, 2,
4th November 1932.

WHEAT ACT, 1932.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by Sections 3 and 19 of the Wheat Act, 1932, has made the Wheat (Quota Payments) No. 2 Order, 1932, dated 29th October 1932, prescribing that the amount of the quota payment which every miller and every importer of flour shall be liable to make to the Wheat Commission in respect of each hundredweight of his output shall, as from the 30th October 1932, be 13.2d., i.e. 2s. 9d. per sack of 280 lb.

Copies of the Order, which supersedes the Wheat (Quota Payments) No. 1 Order, 1932, dated 16th June 1932, can be obtained from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Austral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh; 15 Donegall Square West, Belfast; or from any bookseller.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS, 1907 to 1932.

Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given that an Order was made on the 28th day of October 1932, restoring Letters Patent No. 258,264 bearing date the 8th day of September 1925, and granted to Waldo Grant Morse, for an invention entitled "Improvements in or relating to cinematograph apparatus."

W. S. JARBATT,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.