

pass and obtain the highest aggregate marks on the first part a certain number, to be determined by the Civil Service Commissioners, will be admitted to the second part of the Examination. The successful list will consist of those candidates who pass and obtain the highest aggregate marks in the whole Examination.

6. Any attempt, direct or indirect, on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through influential persons will disqualify them for appointment.

7. Applications for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such time and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners may appoint.

8. A fee of £1 will be required from every applicant for permission to attend an Examination; this fee is not returnable in any circumstances. A further fee of £3 5s., being the balance of the prescribed fee of £4 5s., will be required from every candidate attending such Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competitive Examination will be held under the foregoing Regulations, commencing on the 20th April 1938. The following is a provisional list of the centres at which the first part of the Examination may be held:—Belfast, Birmingham, Bristol, Glasgow, Leeds, London and Manchester.

The final list of centres will be decided when the number of candidates desiring examination at each centre is known.

Not fewer than 12 candidates will be appointed on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found to be duly qualified.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received on or before the 24th February 1938, 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 31, 1937.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination of candidates for entry as Apprentices in the Royal Naval Torpedo Factory, Greenock, will be held in Glasgow, commencing on the 28th April 1938.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st March 1938, an application, in the handwriting of the candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,
December 31, 1937.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that Open Competitive Examinations of candidates for entry as Apprentices in His Majesty's Dockyards and as Artificer Apprentices in the Royal Navy will be held in Belfast, Cardiff, Chatham, Devonport, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Ipswich, Leeds, London, Pembroke, Portsmouth and Sheerness, commencing on the 28th April 1938. The examination for the entry of Artificer Apprentices in the Royal Navy will also be held in Malta; but no candidate taking the examination in Malta may compete for entry as Apprentice in His Majesty's Dockyards.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st March 1938, an application, in the handwriting of the candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.
TRUNK ROADS ACT, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Transport has made an Order under Sub-Section 3 of Section 1 of the Trunk Roads Act, 1936, whereby the route specified in Part I. of the Schedule to the Order becomes a Trunk Road.

Copies of the Order, the short title of which is "The Carlisle-Sunderland Trunk Road (Haltwhistle and Melkridge Diversion) Order, 1937," can be purchased from His Majesty's Stationery Offices at the following addresses:—Austral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 26 York Street, Manchester, 1; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; and 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2.

Dated this thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

H. W. W. FISHER,
Assistant Secretary.

Metropole Buildings,
Northumberland Avenue,
London, W.C.2.

POST OFFICE.

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