Mr. J. Inches Robertson as Consul at Glasgow, for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Gibson Brodie as Consul at Hong Kong, for His Majesty the King of Siam.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. W. Cunnigham Macnaughtan as Consul at Glasgow, for the United States of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. W. Groom as Vice-Consul at Harwich, with jurisdiction over the County of Essex (exclusive of that part of the County situated within a radius of twenty miles from London), for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

DOWNING STREET, August 11, 1887.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Frederick Stewart, Esq., to be Colonial Secretary and Auditor-General for the Colony of Hong Kong.

WAR OFFICE, August 9, 1887.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the 'Distinguished Service Order,' viz.:—

For Action at Sarras, in the Soudan.

Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Macleod Leslie Rundle, Royal Artillery.

Captain Francis James Kempster, the Prince of Wales' Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians).

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, August 12, 1887.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

August 8, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Out-Door Officers—Alexander Diack, Jeremiah King.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—Charles Edward Colpus.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Harry Elliott.

Post Office: Postman, London-Thomas Knill.

Porter, London-Alfred Tetlow.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—Mary Martha Andrews (Rhyl), Sidney Herbert Blackmore (Marlborough), Alfred Henry Boden (Stoke-on-Trent), William Arthur Brenton (Wokingham), Arthur Henry Day (Eastbourne).

Postman-William Smith (Alexandria).

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Harold Robert Schumann Krall, William M'Connell, Samuel Willie Scott.

August 9, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION

Customs: Out-Door Officers — John Daniel Boohan, Denis MacCarthy, Daniel Howard Portley, Michael Hyacinth Ryan, Walter Charles Searley, John William Slater, Donald Robertson Sturdy, William Williamson.

Post Office: Female Clerk, London-Beatrice Mary Pember.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—William Daughtrey.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London — John Morton Hill.

Postman, London-Alfred William Nixon.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Sittingbourne—Arthur Edward Coleman.

Postmen — Thomas Henry Gurr (Lewes), Patrick Wynn (Cavan).

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Arthur Coleridge Cook, Ernest William Lamb.

August 10, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Out-Door Officers—John Elliot, James Patrick Morris, John O'Dea.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—Herbert William Bennett, Frank Lucas.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Office of Works: Park Keeper—John Rayment Hildreth.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Edwin Walker.

Post Office: Skilled Linemen—Joseph James Burr.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners— Henry Barker Ashby (Colchester), Frank James Harmer (Birmingham), Hugh Hughes (Rhyl), Percy Harold Isley (East Grinstead), William George Raine (Glasgow), Ivy Wade (Ely).

Postman, Dover-Frank George Pickett.

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Alfred Redeliffe Humphreys.