WHITEHALL, November 19, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland nominating the Venerable George Henry Sumner, D.D., Archdeacon and Canon of Winchester, to be Bishop Suffragan of the See of Guildford.

(H. 7166.)

BOARD OF TRADE (HARBOUR DEPARTMENT), LONDON, November 16, 1888.

The Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated to-day, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon:— 'Quarantine on arrivals from Cauaries, owing to Yellow Fever.'

(H. 7108.)

BOARD OF TRADE (HARBOUR DEPARTMENT), LONDON, November 17, 1888.

The Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 15th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid:—
'Yellow Fever having appeared in the Island of Santa Cruz de la Palma, Canary Islands, notification in to-day's Official Gazette imposes quarantine on vessels proceeding to Spain from that place.'

(II. 7214.)

BOARD OF TRADE (HARBOUR DEPARTMENT), LONDON, November 20, 1888.

The Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 17th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Tangier:— t Morocco Board of Health decide to refuse admission to vessels arriving from Canary Islands.'

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, November 20, 1888.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for not fewer than ten situations as Female Telegraph Learner in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London on the 28th December 1888, under the Regulations dated 2nd April 1887.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 14th December, an 'application' in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, November 20, 1888.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for not fewer than two situations as Female Telegraph Learner in the General Post Office, Edinburgh, will be held in Edinburgh on the 28th December 1888, under the Regulations dated 2nd April 1887.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 14th December, an 'application' in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, November 20, 1888.

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

November 15, 1888.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Sorters, London — Ethel Gertrude Hopkins, Annie Amelia Purcell.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Science and Art Department: Boy Attendant, Normal School of Science—Thomas Banfield.

Post Office: Sorter, London-Stephen Watson.

Postmen, London—Robert Gillard, William Carrington Schröder.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners— Frederick Burn (Bristol), Henry William Mervin (Portsmouth), Alice Henrietta Noy (Wolverhampton), Henry Arthur Tonge (Wantage), Elizabeth Jane Turrill (Evesham).

Postmen—George Chalmers Allan (Coatbridge), John Charles Allison (Sheffield), Philip Wintle Barnard (Abiugdon), James Ernest George Winslade (Bridgwater).

November 16, 1888.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Sorter, London — Annie Lizzie Cogan.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Irish Lights Commission: Clerk-Ivon Henry Price.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Door Porter, London-Frederick Edwards.

Science and Art Department: Temporary Assistant Geologist-John Shearson Hyland.

Post Office: Sorters, Edinburgh—Thomas Alexander, John Merriman:

Postman, Dublin — John James Patrick Pratt.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Bristol—Arthur Colston Andrews.

Postmen-Mark Hext (Newton Abbot), John Turner (Kilmarnock).