

*Whitehall, February 5, 1875.*

The Right Honourable John Duke, Lord Coleridge, Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed John Kynaston, of 88, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Middlesex, and the cities of London and Westminster.

#### EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 29 V., c. 25, and dated the 11th March, 1872, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th March, 1875, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th March next; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to September, 1875, will be at the rate of three pounds per centum per annum.

All holders of Exchequer Bills dated the 11th March, 1872, who intend to demand payment of the principal sums therein contained at the expiration of the third year of their currency, must leave the said Bills at the Bank of England for examination, not later than the 8th of March next, between the hours of ten and two; and payment of the said principal sums will be made at the Bank on and after the 11th day of March next.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,  
26th February, 1875.

*Treasury Chambers, February 25, 1875.*

THE Right Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the following employment is gazetted into Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

Porter employed in the Vote Office, House of Commons.

#### Civil Service Commission,

*February 26, 1875.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by Notices in the London Gazette of the 24th January, 1873, 21st November, 1873, 16th June, 1874, and 5th February, 1875), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Clerk in the Department of the Solicitor to the Board of Public Works, Dublin.

**N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration.**

I. The limits of age for these situations are 18 and 30, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the examination.

II. Candidates will be required to show what preliminary training or technical education they have undergone to qualify themselves for a situation of this nature. No Candidate will be eligible who is not serving, or has not within two years been serving as a Clerk (not articled) in a Solicitor's Office.

III. The examination will be in the following subjects, viz.:—

#### Obligatory Subjects:

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).
4. English Composition.
5. Criminal Law, and Proceedings before Justices of the Peace.
6. Law of Evidence.
7. Common Law Procedure and Practice.
8. Elements of Conveyancing.

\* \* The Examination in the subjects numbered 5, 6, 7, and 8 will be of an elementary character.

#### Optional Subjects:

9. Geography.
10. English History.
11. Latin.
12. French or German.
13. Mercantile Book-keeping.
14. Equity and Practice of the Courts.
15. Bankruptcy and Practice of the Courts.

IV. A fee of 10s. will be required from each Candidate attending the examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competition for two situations of Clerk in the Department of the Solicitor to the Board of Public Works, Dublin, will be held in Dublin, under the above Regulations, on Tuesday, the 6th of April, 1875, and following days.

Persons wishing to be admitted to the Examination should apply at once for the necessary form to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant and convey to the Incumbent of the rectory of Saint Paul, Wokingham, in the county of Berks, and in the diocese of Oxford, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same rectory, all that the rectorial tithe commutation rent-charge of nineteen shillings and six pence per annum, issuing or arising out of and payable in respect of certain land, comprising two acres one rood and thirty-three perches, situate within the limits of the ecclesiastical district of Saint Paul, Wokingham aforesaid, and numbered 62 on the tithe map of the parish of Wokingham, which said tithe commutation rent-charge is now vested in us, to have and to hold the said annual tithe commutation rent-charge to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eighteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

(L.S.)