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*Foreign Office, January 3, 1877.*

**T**HE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Georges Groux as Consul at Bombay for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Richard Hitchens as Consul for Jamaica, to reside at Kingston, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Francisco Antonio Paul as Consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad, for the United States of Venezuela.

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*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
January 4, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Tehran reporting that in consequence of an apprehended scarcity the exportation of grain from Bushire and the ports in the Persian Gulf has been for the present prohibited.

*Admiralty, 3rd January, 1877.*

Navigating Lieutenant John James Covey has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of this date.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Charles William McConachy has been placed on the Retired List from this date.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
5th January, 1877.*

*85th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Arnold Charles Errington to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General George Campbell, C.B., deceased. Dated 23rd December, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hereford.*

George Renatus Le Pays, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1877.

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 4, 1877.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Examination held in pursuance of the Regulations, dated the 24th of May, 1876, and published in the Gazette of October 20, 1876, and of a further notice published in the London Gazette of November 10, 1876, for one situation as Assistant to the Surveyor of Works for Scotland, and one situation as Second Assistant to one of the Surveyors of Works in England, in the Office of Her Majesty's Works, &c., the first two places were obtained by the following Candidates:—

1. Henry, Robert
2. Hawks, Henry Nicholas

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 4, 1877.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Fifty-five Boy Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on Tuesday, the 20th of February, and following days, under the Regulations, dated 22nd May, 1876, and published in the London Gazette of the 30th May, 1876.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 12th of February, an "application" on a prescribed form, which may be obtained at once from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 4, 1877.*

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 subsequent Notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant Curator in the Geological Museum of the Royal School of Mines under the Department of Science and Art.

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

I. The limits of age for this situation are 20 and 35, and Candidates must be of the prescribed