in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of January, 1884 :---

APPOINTMENTS.

- Admiralty, Herbert William Brown and Joshua Albert Flynn to be Clerks of the New Higher Division in the Department of the Controller of the Navy.
  - George Horace Evans to be Dockyard Writer.
- High Court of Justice (Ireland), William Antony Burke to be Clerk in the Common Pleas Division.
  - Edward Aloysius Carroll to be Junior Clerk in the Consolidated Record and Writ Office.
  - Martin Kelly to be Junior Clerk in the Registrar's Office of the Chancery Division.
- India Office, Clinton Edward Dawkins to be Clerk in the Correspondence Department.
- Mint, Francis Reginald Power to be Assistant-Assayer in the Branch Mint, Melbourne.
- Potent Office, Frederick Edward Boughton, William Henry Dennis Clark, Thomas East Lones, Alfred Sutton, John Henry Tomlinson, and Arthur Whitwell to be Assistant Examiners.
- Post Office, Lizzie Alice Pipe to be Female Clerk.
- **Prisons** Department (England), George Gerard John Bleach to be Clerk in a Prison.
- Prisons Service (Ireland), John C. Hanton to be Clerk in a Prison.
- Trade, Board of, George Peebles to be Third Class Engineer Surveyor.
- War Office, Marion Barry Mackey to be Matron in the Lock Hospital, Colchester.

Clerks and Boy Clerks of the Lower Division.

- Charity Commission, Harry Barton Denham to be Boy Clerk.
- Education Department, Alfred John Eves and John William Hayden to be Boy Clerks.
- Inland Revenue, Walter Robert Crampton and Arthur Edward Lewis to be Boy Clerks.
- Irish Land Commission, James Leavis Atkins to be Clerk (for temporary daty).
- Local Government Board (Ireland), Frederick Hodgkins to be Clerk.

Tom Berry Burgess to be Clerk (for temporary duty).

- Post Office, William Frederick Ebbs, Harry Proctor, Robert Macdonald, and Victor Roland Conway Main to be Clerks.
- Prisons Board (Ireland), John Joseph Rafter to be Clerk.
- Trade, Board of, Harry Booth, William Henry Davies, Gerard Eliott Monk Forrest, Frederic Newbery, and Walter James Woolley to be Clerks.
- Office of Works, Frederick William Prescott to be Clerk.

TRANSFER with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury :---

Colonial Office, William Alfred Harding, Clerk of the Lower Division, from the Post Office.

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, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of the Venerable Bede, Monkwearmouth, in the county of Durham, and in the diocese of Durham, one yearly sum or stipend of sixty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eightythree, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of the Venerable Bede, Monkwearmouth, shall be in addition to the yearly sum or stipend of like amount heretofore payable by us, the said Commissioners, to the Incumbent of the said vicarage, subject to certain conditions under the authority of another instrument sealed by us on the second day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and published in the London Gazette on the tenth day of the same month: And provided also, that the said two yearly sums or stipends of sixty pounds each shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the four above-mentioned days in each and every year of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of Durham, that two Assistant-Curates, duly licensed by such Bishop, have been employed within the parish of the Venerable Bede, Monkwearmouth aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended, and that each of such Curates is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum : Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of the Venerable Bede, Monkwearmouth.

> In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of certain land, comprising two roods (or thereabouts), which has been permanently secured to the vicarage of Saint John, Horninglow, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, and in consideration also of a further benefaction, consisting of a sum of one hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the same vicarage, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said vicarage of Saint John, Horninglow, to meet the aforesaid benefactions, one capital sum of six hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Saint John, Horninglow.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

(L.S.)