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Admiralty, 19th April, 1888.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, 30th April, 1877, and 17th September, 1885-

Staff Engineer John Swanson has been placed on the Retired List of bis rank. Dated 6th April, 1888.

The undermentioned Paymasters have been advanced to the rank of Staff Paymasters in Her Majesty's Fleet: ---

Edgar de Hahn Whiddon. Dated 13th April, 1888.

Charles Farwell. Dated 19th April, 1888.

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Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

William Yates Cockburn, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th day of April, 1888.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tendors will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England, on Monday, the 30th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issuel under the Act 40 Vic., cap. 2, to the amount of \pounds 1,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 4th May, 1888, and will be payable at three or six months after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz.:—on the 4th August or 4th November next, respectively.

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Tuesday, the 1st proximo, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Friday, the 4th proximo.

6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, April 19, 1888.

Civil Service Commission, April 19, 1888.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for Boy Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service, held on the 6th and 7th March, 1888, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 20th January, 1888, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first sixty-one places :--

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	McArthur, Henry	Edinburgh
2	Fair, Cecil Edgar Richard	London
	Fan, Oeen Eugar Incuaru	Longon
3	Mallett, Albert Charles William	London
4	Martin, Charles Henry	London
5	Newell, John Edward	
6		London
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No. in Order of Merit,	Name.	Locality of Examination.
7	Jeffrey, John	Edinburgh
8	Locke, Arthur	London
9	Love, Hugh Coffey	Belfast
10	Janney, Robert George	London
11	Doughty, George Carlill	
12	Donegan, John Walter	London
13 14	Gravely, Arthur Wood, Charles Richard	Edinburgh London
15	Thomson, William Archi- bald	Edinburgh
· 16	Rollin, Ambrose	
17	Cameron, George	
18	Russell, John	
19 20	Gant, Wilfred Robert Pinfold Smith, Felix	London London
21	Evison, John William	-
22	Martin, Frank Egerton	London
23	Martin, Frank Egerton Say, Henry Robert Pitman, Theodore William	London
24	Pitman, Theodore William	London
25	Martin, Joseph Vinall	London
26 97	Papworth, Frederic Wil- liam	London London
27 28	Anwyl, Richard Thomas Fielder, Arthur Ernest	
29	Tillott, Alfred	London
30	Tansley, John Victor	
31	Andrews, Alfred Edwin	
32	Taylor, John Henry Gir- ling	London
33	Longley, Harry Wesson	London
34 95	Thorne, Louis Frank Merrifield, Alfred Sargent	
35 36	Brophy, William Joseph	Dublin
37	Plumpton, Merville Ed- ward	London
38	Willott, Arthur Herbert	London
39	Doig, William	Aberdeen
40 41	Doig, William Jeffery, George William Crosby, William Charles Hampshire	London
42	Bishop, James	London
43	Brownlee, Neil Baxter	Edinburgh
44	England, Frederick Wil- liam	London
45	King, Gilbert	London
46	Munro, William Clark Judson, Harry Hardy	Edinburgh
47 48	Willis, William Henry	London London
49	Abbiss, William Frederick	London
50	Scotten, Edward	London
51	Wilson, Benedict John	London
52	Sanders, Frederic William	London
53 54	Smith, John Hutchison Pile, Henry John	London London
55 55	Leggett, Francis John	London
56	Magill, Andrew Philip	Dublin
57	Clayton, William Ellis	London
58	Palmer, Charles Edgar	London
59	Haddock, Arthur Edward	London
60 .	De Ville, Louis	London
61	Sexton, John	Dublin ,

Civil Service Commission, April 20, 1888.

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

April 16, 1888.

WITHOUT COMPETITION. General Prisons Board: Ireland, Warder, Martin Joyce.