WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Skilled Lineman, Henry Collins. Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Robert William Ernest Lasham (Nottingham), Emma Payne (Wellingborough), Arthur Wil-liam Phillips (Bristol) Barnard Roden (Stokeon-Trent), Alfred Tennison (Hull), John Wylie (Belfast).

Postmen, William Collett (Cheltenham), Arthur Lenton (March).

December 22, 1891.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Out-door Officer, William Henry Bolton. WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Ecclesiastical Commission: Keeper of Fapers, Deeds, Maps, &c. (Junior Grade), Robert Edward Staines.

Inland Revenue: Warehouseman, Department of the Controller of Stamps and Stores, Nelson Yonge May.

Department, England: Subordinate Prisons Officer, Division I, Richard Alfred Evans.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London, Ada

Margaret Mackness.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Frank Herbert Dann (Kettering), Helena Lane (Bournemouth), Hugh Thomas Leedom Love (Tullamore), Marwood Read, otherwise Marwood French (Penzance), Mary Elizabeth Robinson (Hull).

Postmen, William Davey Anstes (Pontypridd), Henry Gershom Bennett (Harrogate), Harry Kenworthy (Buxton), Arthur Lavender (Hull), Christopher Charles Mason (Birmingham), John Henry Mitchell (Dartford), James Newlands (Lockerbie), Thomas Pinnick (Fareham), John Alfred Rowe (Grimsby), Charles Edward Skinner (Lincoln), Edwin George Webb (Newcastle-on Tyne).

December 23, 1891.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Sorter, London, Charlotte Annie Barrett.

Telegraph Learner in a London District Office, Edward John Clark.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Clatham Dockyard : Joiner, John Fooks.

Smiths, Edward John Butler, Arthur Edward Lovering, George Pennicott, Roddam Unthank, George Stroud.

Ecclesiastical Commission: Superintendent of Writers, Frank Hilton.

Fortsmouth Dockyard: Labourer, John Edmonds. Prisons Department, Scotland: Female Warder, Agnes Picken Calderwood.

Royal Commission on Labour: Clerk, Margaret Robinson.

Post Office: Postman, London, Arthur Edward Natt.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Newtown, Montgomery, Henry Lloyd Humphreys, Alfred William King.

Postmen, Archibald Brown (Dunbar), Hugh Stirrup Haslam (Bolton), Fred Stace (Tunbridge).

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL or 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Admiralty: Assistant Naval Storekeepers (Second Class), Marcus Wintoun Millett.

First Class Writers, Naval Ordnance Store Department, Woolwich, John William Richard Carrington, William Vaughan.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY Messenger.

Louis John Rowland.

December 24, 1891.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION. Census Office, England: Temporary Clerk, Arthur Owen Pamphlett.

Customs: Out-door Officer, James Edwin Bailey. Post Office: Telegraph Learner in the Central Telegraph Office, Charles Land.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Arthur Kirkham.

Paymaster-General's Office: Messenger, Thomas Ansell.

Prisons Service, Ireland: Assistant Matron, Elizabeth Pillow.

Supreme Court of Judicature, England: Third Class Clerk, Probate, Divorce, and Admirally Division, Lancelot Villebois Bathurst.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Isaac Dunlop, Walter Hopgood.

Skilled Lineman, William Chapman.

Sorting Clerks and Telegruph Learners, John Sissons Elston (Liverpool), William Chalmers Mitchell (Paisley).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

William Charles Andrews.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 615 to 629 of the year 1891.) [The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.] No. 615.—MEDITERRANEAN STATION.

> BLACK SEA-RUSSIAN COAST. Fixed Light on Sotcha Bithe Point.

THE Russian Government has given notice, that on 15th November, 1891, a light would be exhibited from a lighthouse (named Kochinski) recently erected on Sotcha Bitke Point:—

Kochinski Light is a fixed white light of the third order, elevated 117 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 16 miles.

The lighthouse, constructed of stone, is painted white; the keeper's dwelling is attached.

Approximate position on Admiralty Charts, lat. 43° 32′ 50″ N., long. 39° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Black See, No. 2214; Fort Anakria to Kertch Strait, No. 2235. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, &c., 1891, page 166; and Black Sea Pilot, 1884, page 104.

No. 616.—MEDITERRANEAN STATION. BLACK SEA-SEA OF AZOV.

(1.) Berdiansk Spit-Beacon Removed.

THE Russian Government has given notice. dated 7th November, 1891, that the beacon on Berdiansk Spit, about one mile northward of Berdiansk Lower Lighthouse, has been removed. GULF OF AZOV.

(2.) Gheish Spit-Harbour Light Discontinued. Also, dated 2nd November, 1891, that the harbour light (fixed red) on Gheisk Spit is discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 43' N., long. 38° 17′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts: -Black Sea, No. 2214 (2); Sea of Azov, No. 2234 (1, 2); Berdiansk Road, on Sheet, No. 2209 (1). Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the