

the 28th May, 1896, under the Regulations dated 27th November, 1894, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number of persons to be selected at this Examination is not fewer than 100.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 8th May, an application in the handwriting of the Candidate on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

NOTE.—Examinations for Boy Clerkships in the Civil Service will be discontinued after the above-mentioned Competition has been held.

*Civil Service Commission, April 10, 1896.*

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

*April 2, 1896.*

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerk, George Joseph Scales.*

*Post Office: Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London, Charles James William Barrett.*

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks, Francis James Connor, Patrick Hughes, Edward William Turner.*

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

*Post Office: Postman, London, William Charles Reeves.*

*Tube Attendant in the London Postal Service, Hugh Thomas Gordon.*

*Postman, Edinburgh, David Watson Hardie.*

*Skilled Lineman, Robert William Boswell.*

*Lineman, Harry Robert Hardy.*

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Philip Pottinger Cove (Kidderminster), Arthur Keith Foster (Wimborne), James Houghton (Lancaster), Sydney George Edward Jones (Shrewsbury), William Sambrook Williams (Barrow-in-Furness).*

*Postmen, William James Atkinson (Whitehaven), William Auld (Aberdeen), Thomas Donnelly (Kells), Ernest Dean Fox (Bedford), William George Daddo Langlois (Guernsey), William John McKibbin (Belfast), John Sheehan (Mallow), Arthur Henry Slade (Cobham), Harry Standish (Bolton), Henry Troit (Taunton), Frederick William Turner (Nottingham), Alexander Napier Yeaman (Dundee).*

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

*Patent Office: Clerk in Charge of Designs Register, Jabez Stringer.*

*April 7, 1896.*

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks, John Frederick Armstrong, William Henderson, Edward Joshua Mayes, Alexander Neil Hood McLeod.*

*Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, Frederick William Byrne.*

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learners in the London Postal Districts, Annie Jane Bath, Christian Shand.*

*Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London, Harry Austen, Herbert Henry Gleed, William Hollman, Arthur William Holloway, Percy Pipe, Ernest Evelyn Street.*

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks, George Alfred Percy Adamson, Walter John Bazeley, George William Betts, George Edward Marler, Charles Robert Thomas Williams.*

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

*Admiralty: Timekeeper in Her Majesty's Naval Yards, Henry William Wentworth.*

*Customs, Boatman, Charles William Mills.*

*Prisons Department, England: Assistant Matron, Sarah Caroline Heugh.*

*Prisons Service, Ireland: Warder, Robert Mervyn Hall.*

*Treasury: Female Typist, Lilian Rose Wallace.*

*Office of Works, &c.: Park-keeper in one of the Royal Parks, Alfred Snelling.*

*Post Office: Tracer, Dublin, Laurence Christopher Sheridan.*

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Wilfred Fountain Butterfant (Norwich), Eleanor Jones (Chester), Martin Kelly (Galway), Sara Ann Selfridge (Ballymoney), Henry Shardlow (Nottingham).*

*Postmen, James Brien (Roscrea), Ernest Fields (Sheffield), Albert McCague (Birmingham), Thomas Rowsell (Taunton), Mathew Whelan (Loughrea).*

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

*War Office: Assistant Inspector of Army Cloths, Serges, and Made-up Clothing in the Army Clothing Department, Fred Crowther.*

*April 8, 1896.*

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks, Alexander Michie, Edward O'Neill, Guy Sutton Osborne, Patrick Francis Walsh.*

*Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, Samuel Bertram Williams.*

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London, Matilda Sarah Hamilton.*

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks, Arthur Sparkes Cotton, James Daniel Weir.*

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

*Customs: Boatman, Allenton James Wyman.*

*Royal Mint: Boy, Archibald Barron Gourlay.*

*Supreme Court of Judicature, England: Third Class Clerk in the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division, John Follott Morris Fawcett.*

*Post Office: Skilled Lineman, Percy James Fisk. Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Elizabeth Black Frew (Glasgow), Annie Josephine Grieve (Glasgow), Clara Smith (Redcar), John Howard Taylor (Southport), Elizabeth Wall (Ilkley).*

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 181 of the year 1896.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 181.—FRANCE—WEST COAST.

*Loire River—Intended Leading Lights.*

THE French Government has given notice that, during the years 1896, 1897, three lights for leading through the dredged channel across the Charpentier bar, will be exhibited on the northern side of the entrance to the Loire River:—