

have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.



J. T. Tennant,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

District to which this Order applies.
Borough of West Bromwich.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, September 27, 1898.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

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 Second Class Assistant Surveyor in the Architectural Department of the Office of Her Majesty's Works, &c.

N.B.—*These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.*

I. The limits of age for this situation are 23 and 30. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

II. Candidates will be required to show what technical education and practical training they have undergone to qualify themselves for a situation of this nature. They must show (1) that they have served for at least five years, in a public or private office under an Architect and Surveyor, in general practice, (2) that the works upon which they were engaged during that period were such as to afford them the opportunity of gaining a satisfactory knowledge of their profession; and (3) that they have fully profited by their practical training, and possess the necessary qualifications and experience. Evidence on these points must be sent in at such times and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners may appoint. If it prove *prima facie* satisfactory, the Candidate will be admitted to examination, subject to such further inquiry as may be necessary.

III. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

Obligatory.

1. English Composition :—
Writing a business letter from rough notes, or a short essay on some subject connected with the profession.
2. * Drawing :—
Drawing and Design of Architectural Works.
Details of Construction (including Theory of Construction) in Architectural Works.
3. Quantities :—
(a.) Squaring dimensions, preparation and examination of builders' accounts, abstracting, getting into bill, and pricing.

(b.) Taking out quantities from Drawings, and measurement of works executed.

4. * Estimates.
5. * Specifications.
6. * Use and Properties of Materials.
7. * Surveying and Levelling.
8. * Sanitary Engineering.

No Candidate will be eligible who fails to pass in any of the above-mentioned subjects.

*In the subjects marked thus * there will be an oral examination. The oral examination in Drawing will be chiefly on work sent in by the candidate in the written examination.*

Optional.

9. History of Architecture, illustrated by sketches of features and mouldings.
10. Principles and practice of Valuation, Laws of Arbitration, Fixtures, Dilapidations, Easements, and Light and Air.
11. Either French or German (at the option of the Candidate).

IV. A fee of £3 will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination.

V. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Commissioners may appoint.

Civil Service Commission, September 27, 1898.

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

September 22, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division : Clerk, Frederick Blackmore.

Post Office : Woman Clerk, Beatrice Rees.

Male Sorter, London, John O'Donovan.

Mule Learner, Belfast, Robert Patrick McGann.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty : Sheerness Dockyard, Shipwright, Henry William Madams Harrison.

Painter, James Brown.

Post Office : Tube Attendant and Night Collector in the Central Telegraph Office, London, George Aldridge Bruin.

Postmen, London, Peter Jesse Helbrow, Charles Henry Moore, Cecil Joseph Brookman Offord.

Porter, London, Albert Williams.

Postman, Dublin, Michael McEvoy.

Learners, Ann Ferguson (Inverness), Arthur Thomas Hibell (Hastings), Amy Eleanor Hobday (Woolwich), Lucy Ethel Patterson (Manchester), Alfred Henry Rand (Hungerford), Joseph Henry Stanley (Great Yarmouth), Frederick Charles Trickett (Rochdale), Florence Warwick (Leamington Spa), Sara Winifred Withell (Southport), Alice Woodrow, (Wymondham).

Postmen, Edward Jukes Ayres (Uxbridge), Edwin James Farr Cureton (Bradford, Yorkshire), Patrick Donovan (Limerick), William Egan (Limerick), John Forse (Launceston), Joseph Percival Gurrett (Aldershot), Alexander Morrison (Buckie), James Henry Pope (Bideford), Charles Edward Smea (Aldershot).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Birkenhead, Harry Percy Gregory.

September 23, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division : Clerk, Robert Arthur Hamblin.