India Office, January 5, 1903.

EDWARD, R. & I.

Whereas it has been represented to Us that it is expedient to discontinue the use of the designation "Indian Staff Corps"; it is Our will and pleasure that the said designation shall be abolished with effect from the 1st January, 1903, and that the Officers of the "Indian Staff Corps" shall thereafter be designated "Officers of the Indian Army."

This change of designation will in no way affect the conditions of service of the said Officers or of the remaining Officers of the Cavalry and Infantry of the Indian Army who did not join the Staff Corps.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's, this fifteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and two, and in the second year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command, George Hamilton.

Civil Service Commission,

January 6, 1903.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce the following amendment of the notice of Appointments, &c., for the month of November last, as published in the London Gazette for the 2nd ultimo :-

APPOINTMENTS.

War Office, Edward John Williams to be Established Civilian Employé in the Royal Ordnance Factories.

> Civil Service Commission, January 6, 1903.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Male Learner in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held in London on the 24th February, 1903, under the Regulations dated the 20th December, 1901, and published in the London Gazette of the same

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 35 of the Candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and

are duly qualified in other respects.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 5th February, an application in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission,

January 6, 1903.

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

January 1, 1903.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Service, Ireland: Assistant Matron, Jane O'Neill.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Henry George Adams, Charles Dodkin, Thomas George Adams, Charles Dodkin, Thoms Harris, Henry William Hosking. *Temporary Assistant Postmen*,

Henry William Michael Cannon, Alfred William Lambden.

Learners, William John Endicott (South Malton), Emma Leigh (Manches:er).

Postmen, Charles Goss (Liskeard), Michael Judge (Castlerea).

Under Clause VII of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

Post Office: Postman, London, John Walter Ashton.

Postman, Manchester, Patrick Michael Oates. FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY CLERKS.

Stephen John Bray, James Rutherford Chirnside, Thomas Frederic Rhodes Disher, John William Dixon, Frederick Ernest Edwards, Robert Edgar Hill, Arthur Edwards Jenkins, Walter Robert Over, Reginald Thomas Ricketts, Horatio Henry Sersale, Herbert Oscar Wigg.

January 2, 1903.
AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Patrick Sheahan.

Girl Clerk, Mary Margach.
Female Sorters, London, Alice Eliza James, Marguerite Blanche Frampton.

Male Sorter, London, Alfred Bell.

Male Learners, London, Herbert James Hegarty, William John Medcalf, John Reginald Joseph Skinner.

Male Learner, Belfast, Albert James Best.

VITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Department, England: Assistant Matrons, Margaret Jane Perry, Mary Woodhouse.

Post Office: Postman, London, Joseph Buckle Phillips.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, London, William George Gould, Charles Henry Truslove.

Learners, James Albert Goodall (Normanton), Edwin Poulson Ibbs (Stoke-on-Trent), Francis Thomas Templeton (Stafford), Basset Victor Tremayne (Newquay, Cornwall).

Telephone Operators, Mabel Miriam Gray

Melton Mowbray), Elizabeth Sturrock Norrie

(Leven).

Postmen, Ewen Donald Cameron (Llanelly), Edward Fagan (Edgeworthstown), Ernest Edwin Northeast (Salisbury), Henry Thomas Reeves (Malmesbury), Ernest Robinson (Spalding), George Warne (Grampound Road). Temporary Assistant Postmen, Harry Edwards (Rotherham), Elijah Pepper (Stoke-on-Trent).

Under Clause VII of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

Post Office: Women Clerks, Isabella Ann Adam, Florence Marie Alexander, Amy Dora Archer, Lily Edith Birnie, Katye Mabel Martyn Bishop, Gertrude Magdalen Bray, Hannah Brien, Ann May Buchan, Rose Emma Burgess, Edith Brand Carter, Annie Maria Cussen, Bella Dawson, Alexina Elder, Gladys Engel, Amelia Frances Gibbs, Edith Lilian Gibbs, Kathleen Mary Harper, Andriva Hepburn, Constance Marion Hickman, Grace Hodgson, Ruth Winifred How, Robina Agnes Musgrove Jones, Dorothy May Lansley, Maggie Milne, Elizabeth Kate Orchard, Isabella Rutherford Paxton, Edith Winifred Percy, Florence Margaret Ritchie, Mabel Rivers, Edith Annie Shellabear, Jane Sinclair, Ethel Isabel Stanley, Jean Evelyn Stephenson, Helen Rose Trayler, Mary Glenn Wallis, Arabella Rebecca Warren, Isobel Don Young.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY CLERKS.

Thomas Henry Bennett, Philip George Marr, Ewart Sidney Spooner, Alfred Percy Turner.

January 3, 1903. AFTER OPEN COMPETITION. Customs: Assistants of Customs, Lawrence Daly Kingsley Willans Stead.