

2. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

- (a) That they are unmarried, or widows.
- (b) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.
- (c) That they are natural-born or naturalised British subjects.

3. At each examination the number of candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

4. The examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. English Composition (including Writing and Spelling).
2. Arithmetic.
3. Geography.
4. Latin, or French, or German.
5. Precis Writing.
6. English History.
7. Mathematics.
- 8.—One of the languages—Latin, French, German—which is not offered as subject 4.

Not more than one of the subjects numbered 6 to 8 may be offered.

Candidates who fail to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency will not be regarded as qualified.

5. No candidate will be admitted to examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking, signed by her parent or guardian, that she will, if successful, reside either with her parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by such parents or guardians.

6. Candidates must be at least five feet in height.

7. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their department to attend the examination, dated before the commencement of the competition.

8. Persons who have entered upon or completed a course of education or training for the occupation of teacher, on account of which grants are payable from the Exchequer, will not be qualified to receive appointments until the consent of the Board of Education in England, the Committee of Council on Education for Scotland, or the Commissioners of National Education, Ireland, as the case may be, given in conformity with rules sanctioned by the Lords of the Treasury, has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

9. Application for permission to attend an examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

10. A fee of 15s. will be required from every candidate attending an examination.

India Office,

July 24, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Sir Thomas David Gibson-Carmichael, Bart., K.C.M.G., to be Governor of the Presidency of Fort Saint George at Madras, in succession to the Honourable Sir Arthur Lawley, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G.

India Office,

August 4, 1911.

The KING has approved of the admission of the undermentioned officer to the Indian Army :—

Captain Harry Ernest Connop, by exchange from the 12th (Prince of Wales's Royal) Lancers. Dated 22nd May, 1911. Captain Connop's rank is postdated to 20th January, 1909, and his rank as Lieutenant to 20th April, 1902.

The following appointments have been made to the Staff in India :—

DIVISIONAL STAFF.

To be a General Staff Officer, 1st Grade.

Lieutenant-Colonel Fitz J. M. Edwards, D.S.O., 33rd Cavalry, vice Colonel H. P. Leader, British Service. Dated 3rd June, 1911.

To be a General Staff Officer, 2nd Grade.

Major J. M. C. Colvin, V.C., R.E., vice Major W. H. F. Basevi, 91st Punjabis. Dated 1st June, 1911.

BRIGADE STAFF.

To be Brigade-Majors.

Captain J. H. Mackenzie, 1st Battalion, The Royal Scots, vice Captain L. Hume-Spry, D.S.O., West Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 6th June, 1911.

Captain J. H. F. Lakin, 92nd Punjabis, vice Captain R. Gardiner, 53rd Sikhs. Dated 8th June, 1911.

To be Deputy Assistant Adjutants and Quartermasters-General.

Captain R. S. St. John, 20th Infantry, vice Major G. Thomas, 2nd Lancers. Dated 1st June, 1911.

Captain R. J. Fitz G. Ingham, Royal Garrison Artillery, vice Captain E. D'A. Le Mottéc, D.S.O., Gloucestershire Regiment. Dated 9th June, 1911.

To be Staff Captain.

Captain F. D. Russell, 1st Lancers, vice Captain R. S. St. John, 20th Infantry. Dated 1st June, 1911.

PERSONAL STAFF.

To be an Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

Lieutenant K. Barge, 17th Cavalry, vice Captain H. McL. Lambert, 1st Dragoons. Dated 31st May, 1911.

To be Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer Commanding 3rd (Lahore) Division.

Captain W. G. K. Green, 36th Jacob's Horse. Dated 21st April, 1911.

To be Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer Commanding 5th (Mhow) Division.

Lieutenant H. M. Wilson, 24th Punjabis. Dated 3rd March, 1911.

NOTE.—The date of the appointment of Major-General J. B. Woon, K.C.B., to command a Division is 25th November, 1910, not 28th November, 1910, as stated in the London Gazette of 24th January, 1911.