

In reckoning age for competition the following allowances will be made, viz. :—

(a) Candidates who have served or are serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force may deduct from their actual age any time during which they have so served.

(b) Candidates who have served for two full consecutive years in the Royal Irish Constabulary may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

(c) Candidates who have served in any established civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding two years which they may have spent in such service.

2. No person will be eligible who is not a natural-born British subject and the child of a father also a natural-born British subject; provided that exception may be made in the case of persons serving in a civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners and provided that exception may be made as regards the father in the case of Candidates who served in His Majesty's Armed Forces during the Great War between the 4th August, 1914, and the 11th November, 1918.

3. No person will be eligible who obtained from any tribunal established under the Military Service Acts, 1916 to 1918, exemption from service in His Majesty's Forces under those Acts on the ground of a conscientious objection to the undertaking of military service, or, although not so exempted, declined to comply with obligations imposed upon him by those Acts.

4. No person actually serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force will be eligible for admission to the examination unless he produces to the Civil Service Commissioners, when called upon to do so, the permission of his Commanding Officer to attend the examination, dated before the commencement of the competition, and given in accordance with such orders as may from time to time be issued.

Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination before the commencement of the competition.

Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate education authority has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

5. Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners as to their health and character. Female candidates must be unmarried or widows, and will be required to resign their appointments on marriage.

6. The Examination will include the following subjects. The numerical value is shown against each subject.

SECTION A.—Candidates are to take up all the subjects in this section.		Marks.
1. Essay	...	100
2. English	...	100
3. Present Day	...	100
4. Everyday Science	...	100
5. Auxiliary Language	...	100
6. Viva Voce	...	300

SECTION B.—OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.—Candidates are allowed to take up subjects in this section up to a total of 1,000 marks.

<i>History.</i>		Marks.
7. English History to 1660	...	200
8. British History, 1660-1914	...	200
9. European History, <i>either</i> Period 1 or Period 2	...	200
10. European History, Period 3	...	200
<i>Economics, Politics, Law and Philosophy.</i>		
11. General Economics	...	200
12. Economic History	...	100
13. Public Economics	...	100
14. Political Theory	...	100
15. Political Organization	...	100
16. Constitutional Law	...	100
17. Private Law	...	200
18. Roman Law	...	100
19. International Law	...	100
20. Moral Philosophy	...	100
21. Metaphysics	...	100
22. Logic	...	100
23. Psychology	...	100

<i>Mathematics and Science.</i>		Marks.
24. Lower Pure Mathematics	...	200
25. Higher Pure Mathematics	...	200
26. Lower Applied Mathematics	...	200
27. Higher Applied Mathematics	...	200
28. Astronomy	...	200
29. Statistics	...	100
30. Lower Chemistry	...	200
31. Higher Chemistry	...	200
32. Lower Physics	...	200
33. Higher Physics	...	200
34. Lower Botany	...	200
35. Higher Botany	...	200
36. Lower Geology	...	200
37. Higher Geology	...	200
38. Lower Physiology	...	200
39. Higher Physiology	...	200
40. Lower Zoology	...	200
41. Higher Zoology	...	200
42. Engineering	...	400
43. Geography	...	400
44. Physical Anthropology	...	100
45. Social Anthropology	...	100
46. Agriculture	...	200
47. Experimental Psychology	...	100

<i>Languages with Associated Civilizations.</i>		Marks.
48. English Literature, Period 1	...	200
49. English Literature, Period 2	...	200
50. Latin Language	...	200
51. Roman Civilization	...	200
52. Greek Language	...	200
53. Greek Civilization	...	200
54. French Language	...	200
55. French Civilization	...	200
56. German Language	...	200
57. German Civilization	...	200
58. Spanish or Italian Language	...	200
59. Spanish or Italian Civilization	...	200
60. Russian Language	...	200
61. Russian Civilization	...	200
62. Arabic Language	...	200
63. Arabic Civilization	...	200
64. Persian Language	...	200
65. Persian Civilization	...	200

SECTION C.—An auxiliary language carrying 100 marks may be offered *extra numerum*.
7. The auxiliary language in Section A or Section C will be tested by means of translation.