Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

ORDER of Secretary of State, No. 3 (c). EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875 (38 Vict. c. 17).

Whereas in pursuance of the Explosives Act, 1875 (in this Order referred to as the Act), an Order of the Secretary of State (known as Order of Secretary of State No. 3) was made on the 27th day of November 1875, adapting the General Rules relating to packing of Gunpowder contained in Part 1 of the Act, to the packing of Explosives other than Gunpowder; and whereas by section 83 of the Act, it is provided that a Secretary of State may, by order from time to time, revoke, add to, or alter any previous orders of the Secretary of State.

Now, therefore, in the exercise of the powers aforesaid, I, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby order as follows:—

- 1. Part B, Rule 2 of the Order of the Secretary of State, No. 3 aforesaid, relating to the packing of explosives of the 1st division of the 3rd (nitrocompound) class, shall be amended as follows:—
- (a) By the insertion after the words 'without any metal in the construction thereof,' in the said Rule, of the words 'except with the consent of and under conditions approved by a Government Inspector'; and
- (b) By the insertion after the words 'other than metal,' in the said Rule, of the words 'except with the consent of and under conditions approved by a Government Inspector.'

H. H. Asquith, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Whitehall, 30th October 1893.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, November 3, 1893.

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

October 30, 1893.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorters, London—Harry Blackshaw, Albert Hercules Clay, William Cox, Patrick Fleming, John Hamilton, William Sidney Harverson, Albert Hedgecock, Benjamin Henry Lines.

Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London—Winifred Ethel Cranfield.

'Female Telegraph Learners, London Postal Districts—Violet Mary Charlton, Jane Smith, Mabel Edith Warren.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—William Davies.

Post Office: Postmen, London—Clarence John Blundell, Henry George Ratcliff.

Porter, London-Arthur Clifton Gilbert.

Postman, Folkingham—James Francis Branagan.

October 31, 1893.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorters, London—Francis Walter Carr, John William Cunnington, Maurice Doran.

Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London-Walter Francis Adams, Stanley Cobbold, Thomas Burrows Webb.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

House of Commons: Clerk in the Department of Clerk of the House—Bryan Hugh Fell.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—David Anderson.

Prisons Service, Ireland: Warder — William Devine.

War Office: Press Keeper—Andrew William Trentham.

Post Office: Postman, London—John Biggenden.
Porters, London—Alfred Peter Ailles, Josiah
Joseph Thompson.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—May Elsie Abigail (Dartford), Frederick King Cole (Brighton), Richard Henry Corcoran (Cork), Flora Mary Dennett (Brighton), Arthur Herbert Fardo (Cardiff), Elizabeth Emily Goad (Barrow-in-Furness), Agnes Mary Oldroyd (Shrewsbury), James Trickett (Wigan).

Postmen—Thomas Ashford (Leicester), John William Bristow (Harrogate), William Brown (Lincoln), Herbert Thomas Davies (Brecon), George Henry Dawson (South Shields), William Fasey (Windsor), John Goodwin (Helensburgh), Edmond Heyland (Coatbridge), John Sidney Hooker (Maidstone), James Murphy (Liverpool), Harry Proctor (Lincoln), Frederick Charles Smith (Bristol), Joseph William Smith (Birmingham), Joseph Albert Thomason (Liverpool), William Walter Timms (Oxford), John Wallace (Stirling), John Thomas Frederick Waterfield (Derby), Henry Weeks (Torquay), Arthur Wilson (Richmond, Surrey).

November 1, 1893.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorters, London—George William Burns, Thomas William Fox, Charles Edward Heyes, Thomas William Reardon, William John Albert Rudderham.

Female Telegraph Learners, London Postal Districts—Adelina Gertrude Stubbs, Ethel May Weston.