

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

The Board of Trade have, after modification, confirmed an Order made by the Light Railway Commissioners, and entitled the Lauder Light Railway Order, 1898, authorising the construction of a Light Railway between Fountainhall Railway Station and Lauder, in the Counties of Mid-Lothian and Berwick.

Board of Trade, 7th July 1898.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

July 5, 1898.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department, held on the 5th and 6th May 1898, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 18th March 1898, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first fifty places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Duckering, George Elmhirst	Leeds
2	Simmonds, William Henry	London
3	Edmonds, Ernest Martin	Plymouth
4	Davis, George Augustus	Birmingham
5	Perks, William	Birmingham
6	Costello, Charles Dalton	London
7	M'Cartney, Albert Ellis	Belfast
8	Ritchie, William Alexander	Aberdeen
9	Burke, Francis Philip James	Dublin
10	Grant, George Alexander	Glasgow
11	Walshe, John Robert	Limerick
12	Damerell, Arthur Stokes	Plymouth
13	Blundell, Edward Evan	London
14	Bonnar, William Andrew	Glasgow
15	MacArthur, James Alexander	Glasgow
16	Ansell, Frederick Peter	London
17	Douglas, William Clark	Edinburgh
18	Ryan, John	London
19	Davies, Robert James M'Dowell	Edinburgh
20	Peat, Horace Ernest	London
21	Fraser, John Duncan	Newcastle-on-Tyne
22	O'Donnell, George	Liverpool
23	Stratford, William Edward	London
24	Madden, Richard Henry	Liverpool
25	Marshall, James John	Glasgow
26	Forde, John Joseph	Limerick
27	Miskin, John Llewellyn	London
28	Dwyer, Andrew	Dublin
29	Andrews, Arthur George	London
30	Sheridan, Andrew	London
31	Blackford, William	London
32	Fraser, John	Edinburgh
33	Fraser, Robert Corson	Inverness
34	Blaylock, William Waugh	London
35	Greenland, Frederick James Dudley	Cardiff
36	Chalmers, Alexander	Aberdeen
37	Hall, Hector Stanley Johnson	London
38	Aubrey, Alfred Percy	London
39	Jordan, Joseph A.	Dublin
40	Caldar, James	Glasgow

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
41	Scoffham, Frederick George	Birmingham
42	Paris, John	Glasgow
43	Jones, Morgan	London
44	Wilson, James	Edinburgh
45	Payne, Ernest Stuart	London
46	Bastin, Edward Charles	London
47	Hastie, John Kigg	Edinburgh
48	Cleary, Hugh Beaton	London
49	Fennen, Thomas	Dublin
50	Newman, George Herbert	Leeds

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

July 8, 1898.

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

July 4, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Foreign Office: Student Interpreter in the Consular Service of China, Japan, or Siam—Alfred John Flaherty, William Meyrick Hewlett.

Post Office: Woman Clerk—Marianne Jane Needham.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorter-Tracer, London—Albert Henry Kirby.

Postmen, London—Frederick Conington, Charles Harris Jones.

Porters, London—Arthur Barrett, William Rugg.

Postmistress, Bradford-on-Avon—Lydia White.

Learners—Gavin Hamilton (Coatbridge), Lily Macdougall (Aberdeen), Isabella Macleod Sinclair (Aberdeen).

Postmen—William Henry Gidley (Clevedon), Arthur Knock (Swaffham), William Laird (Kirkwall), Malcolm John Mackay (Fort-William).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Galashiels—William Given.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Ernest Heapy Cross, William Rowbotham, John Blanshard Widdup.

July 5, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Women Clerks—Annie Mary Baker, Jane Winifred Fisk, Lillie May Godden, Mary Emily Robertson Gordon, Rhoda Janet Taylor.

Female Sorters, London—Sophia Chalker, Mary Ann Darvell, Mary Gillings, Amy Laura Howey.

Male Learner, Dublin—John Joseph Kelly.