

SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL,

April 20, 1899.

The Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 18th instant, to appoint John Arthur Thomson, Esquire, M.A., to the Chair of Natural History in the University of Aberdeen, in the room of Professor Henry Alleyne Nicholson, deceased.

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The Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 18th instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, granting a Charter of Incorporation to the St. Andrew's Ambulance Association.

INDIA OFFICE, April 14, 1899.

The Queen has been pleased to approve the appointment of Mr. Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, now a Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Calcutta, to be Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, in the place of Sir Louis Addin Kershaw, Knt., deceased.

INDIA OFFICE, April 17, 1899.

The Secretary of State for India in Council has appointed Mr. James Yeoman Mosey to superintend the transfer of Lascars or other persons at Plymouth, in succession to W. H. G. Deacon, and to grant the Certificate required under Section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vict. cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every Lascar or other person, in respect of whom such Certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

April 18, 1899.

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

April 13, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION

Customs: Assistant of Customs—Henry Herbert Morel.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Henry Humphreys.

Royal Mint: Boy—Herbert Frederick Tillyard.

War Office: Female Typist—Lily Payne.

Post Office: Sorter-Tracers, London—Ernest William Burgess, Frank Thomas Coles.

Postmen, London—Frederick Unwin Brown, Sydney Collingham, Frederick Harris, Walter

Henry Powers, Alfred Stonell, Henry Philip Sanders.

Porter, London—William Thomas John Nichols.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, London—George Ernest Bunce, William Henry Hayward, James Benjamin Hollman, James Keene.

Learners—John Baldwin (Sutton, Surrey), Ellen Dade (Ely), George Davidson (Berwick), Joseph Edward Griggs (Leighton Buzzard), Mary Emily Maltby (Northwich), William Alfred Ambrose Morris (Bath), Hubert Alfred Newport (Oxford), Jessie M'Donald Robertson (Linlithgow), Donald William Rosie (Wick), William Henry Stevens (Banbury).

Postmen—Henry Bentley (Burton-on-Trent), William Boyd (Preston), Richard Henry Dowell (Preston), William Forster (Hexham), Alexander Staveley Gilbert (Coventry), William Alexander Harrison (Leeds); Thomas Percy Tomlinson (Barnsley).

April 14, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Assistants of Customs—Robert William Bullen, William George Smith.

Post Office: Female Learners, London—Catherine Mabel Hill, Margaret Watt.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division II.—George Robert Williams.

Registrar-General's Office, England: Boy Messenger—Sidney Arthur Serue.

Royal Mint: Boy—Albert Edward White.

Post Office: Sub-Postmaster, Eyemouth—George Black Sinclair.

Sub-Postmistress, Wilton—Elizabeth Mary Pretty.

Postmen, London—Frederick Joseph Lewis, Albert Scrafield, Albert Robert Shepherd.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, London—Mark Hicks, George Edward Palmer.

Postmen, Edinburgh—Andrew Coleman, Alexander Lapsley Graham.

Learners—John William Constantine (Tadcaster), Andrew Cumming (St. Andrews), Thomas Royston Dugmore (Wolverhampton), Emily M'Iroy Gilmore (Portrush), Alice Tester Kirkby (Romford), David Mill (Ladybank), Catherine Mullen (Lurgan), Rosetta Harriett Palmer (Cranbrook), John Stephen (Campbeltown), Gwendoline Thomas (Wisbech).

Postmen—Charles Cecil Adderley (Newport, Salop), Frederick Walter Allen (Keighley), James Fox (Navan), John Kelleher (Cork), John William Thompson (Pickering).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Oxford—Charles Edward Allum.

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Post Office:—Skilled Telegraphist—Julia Caroline Smith.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Ernest James Merriman.