

DOWNING STREET, August 10, 1901.

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of William Henry Williams Strachan, Esq. (Chief Medical Officer), to be an Official Member, and of Obadiah Johnson, Esq., M.D., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Lagos.

DOWNING STREET, August 12, 1901.

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Charles Herbert Harley Moseley, Esq. (Treasurer), to be Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Lagos.

DOWNING STREET, August 12, 1901.

The King has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Lawrence Moore Kortright, Esq. (Superintendent of Public Works, St. Kitts and Nevis), and Samuel Lamartine Horsford, Esq. (Member of the General Legislative Council of the Leeward Islands and of the Legislative Council of the Presidency of St. Kitts and Nevis), to be Members of the Executive Council of the said Presidency.

WHITEHALL, August 9, 1901.

The King has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 8th instant, to appoint William Francis Kyffin Taylor, Esq., K.C., to be Recorder of the Borough of Bolton, in the room of Samuel Pope, Esq., K.C., deceased.

WHITEHALL, August 9, 1901.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto Arthur Herbert Cumberbatch, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, which decoration has been conferred upon him, as a promotion in that Order, by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey.

WHITEHALL, August 9, 1901.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto Bertrand Thornton Knight, Esq., A.M.I.C.E., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Order of the White Elephant, which decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Siam in recognition of services rendered by him as Section Engineer in His Siamese Majesty's Railway Department.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

August 13, 1901.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for two situations as Student Interpreter for the Ottoman Dominions, Persia, Greece, or Morocco, will commence in London on the 15th October 1901, under the Regulations dated 20th March 1895.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 26th September, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

August 13, 1901.

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

August 8, 1901.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Women Clerks—Lucy Alice Eastwood, Winifred Lynch, Ellen Gertrude Stiles, Cecilia Elizabeth Langler Wilkinson.

Male Learner, London—William Henry Abbott Matthews.

Male Learners, Glasgow—David Barbour, Cyril Blacklock, John Gilmour, Hugh Taylor Mowat, Hugh Sloan Nelson.

Male Learners, Southampton—Henry John Clayton Edwards, Archibald Percy Kyte.

Female Learners, London—Winefride Cecilia Dickinson, Florence Mildred Elliott.

Female Learners, Dublin—Caroline Mary Bolton, Alicia Keogh, Sarah Kathleen Ribton.

Female Learners—Clara Burns (Sheffield), Maggie Coleman (Nottingham).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London—Albert Field.

Male Learners, London—James Daws, David Drummond.

Male Learners—Lynton John Alphæus Harding (Plymouth), James Vincent Holland (Manchester), Maurice Jones (Tralee), John Miller (Glasgow), William Henry Pole (Manchester).

Postmen, London—David John Andrew Edwards, George Hemming, Albert Izzard, Frederick Charles Lewis.

Porters, London—Frank William Thomas Hobson, Albert Edward Watson.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London—Henry Burborough.

Postmen—Andrew Chrystal (Stirling), Samuel Digan (Heywood), John Leithead (Newcastle-on-Tyne), William Little (Windermere), George Forsyth Millar (Edinburgh), William Printer (Belfast).