

3. Nationality.

To be eligible for appointment a candidate must be a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic and in addition satisfy one of the following conditions:

(a) if he was a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic at birth—

(i) at least one of his parents must be, or have been at death, a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic, or

(ii) the candidate must have resided in a country or territory within the Commonwealth or in the Irish Republic or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown or partly have so resided and partly been so employed for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of his appointment:

(b) if he was not a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic at birth, he must have resided in a country or territory within the Commonwealth or in the Irish Republic or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown or partly have so resided and partly been so employed for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of his appointment:

(c) if not qualified under sub-paragraph (a) or sub-paragraph (b) of this paragraph, he must satisfy the Commissioners that he is so closely connected with a country or territory within the Commonwealth either by ancestry, upbringing or residence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in his favour.

4. Qualifications.

Candidates must either

(a) have achieved Corporate Membership of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors or of the Chartered Auctioneers' and Estate Agents' Institute or of the Land Agents' Society, or

(b) have passed a degree or other examinations necessary for obtaining Corporate Membership of one of the above-mentioned Institutions, or

(c) have a university degree in Estate Management.

Candidates admitted under heads (b) or (c) will not have their appointments confirmed unless they obtain Corporate Membership of one of the Institutions listed in (a) above within their probation period. Exceptionally, where a candidate is prevented by circumstances outside his control from obtaining Corporate Membership within this period, the appointment may be confirmed, with the concurrence of the Treasury and the Civil Service Commissioners provided that there is satisfactory evidence that the qualification is likely to be obtained within a reasonable time.

Applications will be considered from candidates who are taking in the summer of 1957 final examinations necessary to qualify under (b) or (c) above.

Candidates must hold a driving licence or obtain one within a reasonable time.

5. Health and Character.

Successful candidates must satisfy the Commissioners as to their health and character.

6. Competition.

The candidates who appear from their applications to have the best qualifications and experience will be invited to interview in London before a Selection Board, which will recommend to the Civil Service Commissioners those considered most suitable for appointment. The Board will take into consideration the candidates' record of education and experience, recommendations from referees named by the candidates, and the personal qualities of the candidates as shown at the interview. The decision of the Commissioners will be final.

7. Candidates Trained as Teachers.

Persons who have been trained as teachers elsewhere than in England and Wales, and upon whose training public money has been spent, cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate central education authority (e.g., the Scottish Education Department, the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland) has been notified to the Commissioners.

8. Canvassing.

Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons, except as referees to be named by them in their application forms, will disqualify them for appointment.

9. Fee.

Every successful candidate will be required to pay a fee of £4 before the issue of a certificate of qualification for appointment.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES OF BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial lb, computed from returns received by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD in the week ended 25th May, 1957, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, the Corn Sales Act, 1921, and the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943.

British Corn	Quantities Sold	Average Price per Cwt.	
		s.	d.
WHEAT	cwt 555,374	21	2
BARLEY	119,058	22	0
OATS	45,968	21	1

NOTE.—The above statement is based on returns received from 174 prescribed towns in England and Wales in the week ended 25th May, 1957. The prices represent the average for all sales at these towns, and include transactions between growers and merchants, and transactions between merchants during the week ended 18th May, 1957.

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MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND CIVIL AVIATION

THE Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation on 21st May 1957, made the Motor Vehicles (International Motor Insurance Card) (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, which come into operation on 1st June, 1957.

These Regulations re-enact the Motor Vehicles (International Motor Insurance Card) Regulations, 1952, with amendments providing principally for the acceptance in Great Britain as from the 1st June, 1957, of a new form of international motor insurance card which, after the 1st January, 1960, will supersede cards in the form specified in the Regulations now revoked and in Part I of the Second Schedule to the new Regulations.

Copies may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 423 Oxford Street, London, W.1; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39 King Street, Manchester, 2; 2 Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 109 St. Mary Street, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller, price 9d. net.

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1947**BURGH OF STIRLING DEVELOPMENT PLAN**

NOTICE is Hereby Given that in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 50 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act, 1945, as incorporated with the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act, 1947, by virtue of the provisions of section 100 of the said Act of 1947, the Secretary of State has appointed Douglas Mason Campbell, Esq., Q.C., to hold a Public Local Inquiry into the objections and representations which have been received by the Secretary of State in connection with the Development Plan for the Burgh of Stirling, the said Plan having been submitted in terms of section 3 of the said Act of 1947 by Stirling Town Council to the Secretary of State for approval.

And Notice is Hereby Given that the Public Local Inquiry will be held within the Municipal Buildings, Stirling, and will begin on Monday, 24th June, 1957, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

Dated this twentieth day of May, 1957.

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