CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, March 21, 1879.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competition held on the 26th and 27th ultimo, for Boy Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service, under the Regulations of the 22d May 1876, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 31st January 1879, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first twentyseven places :---

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MITCHELL'S ESTABLISHMENT.

PETITION, under the 'Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act,' having been presented by the Trustees of the above-named Institution, to the Right Honourable Richard A. Cross, H.M. Secretary of State for the Home Department, he has, in pursuance of sec. 5 of that Act, directed that the said Petition be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, in two consecutive numbers thereof, and also once in the Edinburgh Courant and Scotsman Newspapers. The Petition craves that power should be given to the Trustees-

Primo. To increase their numbers to not exceeding seven members-more particularly to include the Minister of the Quoad Sacra Parish of Gilmerton as one of the said members ex officio, as that Parish forms a part of the original Parish of Liberton, having been constituted since the be-ginning of the Trust; as also to include one member from each of the Kirk Sessions of Newton and Liberton, to be elected by the said Kirk Sessions respectively.

boys from eight years to ten years, and to extend the maximum age from thirteen to fifteen years.

Tertio. To limit the ordinary allowance of boys on the Fund to £4 each half-year, to be applied under the supervision of the Trustees to the 'Aliment, &c..' as appointed by the donor, it being at the same time within the discretion of the Trustees to increase the allowance to any promising boy, more especially during the last year of his term, which would be beyond the present statutory school age in Scotland.

Quarto. To enable the Trustees to lessen the allowance of boys not making satisfactory progress, under regulations to be drawn up by the Trustees, or altogether to cut off from the fund, boys whose progress or conduct, or the conduct of whose parents, is unsatisfactory to the Trustees, it being also within the power of the Trustees to refuse to fill up the full number of four boys should they be of opinion that none of the candidates applying on the occasion of any vacancy or vacancies is suitable.

Quinto. To enable the Trustees, if they shall see fit, to give no allowance beyond the specified term at Newton Parish School to boys who then betake themselves to mere unskilled labour.

Sexto. To enable the Trustees to grant assistance to boys desirous of continuing their studies, either at a Secondary School or University in Scotland, or otherwise as might be approved of by the Trustees, a preference being given to the four boys enjoying the benefits of the Fund.

Septimo. To enable the Trustees to foster Secondary Education within the Parish, by granting allowances to the teacher should he succeed in passing any scholars in any of the special subjects included in the syllabus of the 'Scotch Education Code,' or should he satisfy the Trustees of suitable progress having been made by the scholars in any other subject selected by the Trustees.

Octavo. To apply any surplus of the Fund, not required for any of the purposes above specified, to any other educational object within the Parish.

> JOHN M'FARLANE, Clerk to Mitchell's Establishment.

INTIMATION is hereby given that the Right Honourable CLEMENTINA ELIZABETH HEATH-COTE DRUMMOND WILLOUGHBY, BARONESS WIL-LOUGHBY DE ERESBY, widow of the Right Honourable Gilbert John, Baron Aveland, of Aveland, in the County of Lincoln, Institute of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of DRUMMOND and Others, situated in the County of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,-Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845,' and the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, 31st and 32d Victoria, chapter 84, and 38th and 39th Victoria, chapter 61, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to uplift the sum of £406, 7s. 7d., consigned by the Magistrates and Council of the City of Glasgow, being the City of Glasgow Water Commissioners, acting under The Glasgow Corporation Water Works Act, 1855,' and Acts amending the same, in the Royal Bank of Scotland, Edinburgh, and to apply the said sum of $\pounds 406$, 7s. 7d. in repayment to herself pro tanto of the sum of £652, 14s. 4d., being the Secundo. To increase the minimum age of the balance of a sum found by the Court to have been