

15th Lancashire, Adjutant George Leslie (Honorary Major in the Army) is placed on a retired allowance; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 10th October, 1884.

4th Middlesex (West London), Captain Thomas Henry Sangster is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th October, 1884.

Lieutenant John William Whitehead resigns his Commission. Dated 4th October, 1884.

8th (S.W.) Middlesex, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Sir Francis Burdett, Bart., resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th October, 1884.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Major Charles Foster is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th October, 1884.

Lieutenant Granville Pelham Beauchamp resigns his Commission. Dated 4th October, 1884.

1st Pembrokeshire, Surgeon Edward Picton Phillips is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 4th October, 1884.

1st Renfrewshire, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel David Macduff Latham resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th October, 1884.

2nd Shropshire, Cecil Aloysius Corke, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th October, 1884.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Captain John Richards is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th October, 1884.

1st Tower Hamlets (the Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Brigade), Lieutenant Henry Coningham to be Captain. Dated 4th October, 1884. Alexander Elkan Elkan, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th October, 1884.

Civil Service Commission, October 3, 1884.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant Surveyor of Buildings in the Board of Public Works, Ireland.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

I. The limits of age, for this situation are 25 and 30, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

II. Candidates must possess the practical experience necessary to qualify them for a situation of this nature. They must have been employed for at least five years in the superintendence of buildings, and will be required to produce satisfactory proof of their efficiency and practical knowledge.

III. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. English Composition.

4. Arithmetic (to Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).

5. Geometrical Drawing.

6. Freehand Sketching in outline.

7. Knowledge of Materials.

8. Designing simple buildings, with specification and estimate, and working drawings of details of carpenters' and masons' work.

9. Taking out quantities from plans, measuring and valuing buildings.

10. Surveying, and levelling, and valuing lands.

IV. Candidates failing in any of the above subjects will not be eligible.

V. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners may appoint.

VI. A fee will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination, according to the scale laid down, under the Order in Council of 22nd March, 1879, by notice in the London Gazette of 29th April, 1881.

The Civil Service Commissioners give further notice that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant Surveyor of Buildings in the Board of Public Works, Ireland, will be held in Dublin under the above Regulations, on Tuesday, the 11th November, 1884, and following days.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Civil Service Commissioners have not received, on or before the 28th October, an "application" in the Candidate's own handwriting on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary, at once.

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SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Clerk in the Departments of Her Majesty's General Register House, Edinburgh.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. The limits of age for this situation are 18 and 23, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Competitive Examination.

2. No Candidate will be eligible who has not within the last five years served for at least two years in the office of a Writer to the Signet, a Law Agent, or a Solicitor whose practice is in Scotch Law and Conveyancing.

3. The Competitive Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

Handwriting.

Orthography.

Arithmetic.

Copying MS. (to test accuracy).

Indexing or Docketing.

Digesting Returns into Summaries.

English Composition.

Geography.

English History.

Book-keeping.