

*War Office, 18th December, 1888.*

**THE HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF LONDON.**

Captain-General and Colonel, Field-Marshal His Royal Highness Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, K.G., K.T., K.P., &c., &c., resigns his Commission. Dated 19th December, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honourable W. J. A. C. J., Duke of Portland resigns his Commission. Dated 19th December, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Adjutant C. J. Borton resigns his Commission. Dated 19th December, 1888.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.*

Josiah Greethead Strachan, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th December, 1888.

ORDER of the Local Government Board :—

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1888.**

First Election of County Councillors : Certain Proceedings in Boroughs :—

To the Returning Officers for the First Election of County Councillors for the several Administrative Counties in England and Wales other than the County of London ;—

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the several Boroughs in England and Wales, other than County Boroughs ;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1888, after enacting that a County Council shall be established in every Administrative County, makes provision for the Election of County Councillors in each such County, and for the conduct of such Elections ;

And whereas a difficulty has arisen as to the person by whom, prior to the taking of the Poll at an Election of a County Councillor in any Electoral Division which is either co-extensive with or wholly comprised in a Borough, the proceedings to be taken and things to be done in relation to such Election should respectively be taken and done ;

And whereas by Section 108 of the said Act, in the case of any difficulty arising as respects the holding of the First Election of County Councillors, We, the Local Government Board, are empowered to do, by Order, any matter or thing which appears to Us necessary for the proper holding of such Election, and it is enacted that any such Order may modify the provisions of the said Act, and the enactments applied by the said Act, so far as may appear to Us necessary for the purpose aforesaid :

And whereas it appears to Us necessary for the proper holding of such Election to make the provisions contained in this Order, and so far as those provisions modify the said Act or the enactments applied by the said Act, to modify the same :

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us in that behalf, We hereby Order as follows :—

ARTICLE I.—For the purposes of the First Election of a County Councillor for an Electoral Division which is either co-extensive with or wholly comprised in a Borough, the Mayor and Town Clerk of the Borough, respectively, subject as regards the Mayor to the revision by the County Returning Officer of any decision of an objection,

shall, in relation to the said Election, have, with regard to all matters provided for in Parts Two and Three of the Third Schedule to the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882, and all other matters prior to the day of the Poll, the same powers and duties as they respectively have in relation to the Election of Councillors of the Borough, and that although no Writ has been directed to them or either of them from the County Returning Officer.

ARTICLE II. The Local Government Act, 1888, and the enactments thereby applied, shall be modified, so far as is necessary for the purpose of giving effect to this Order.

ARTICLE III. In this Order the expression "the Mayor" shall include any Alderman chosen in pursuance of Section 67 (1.) of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882, as applied by Section 75 of the Local Government Act, 1888, to execute the powers and duties of the Mayor. Any other expressions in this Order shall have the same meaning as in the said Local Government Act.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this fourteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.



*Chas. T. Ritchie,*  
President.

*Hugh Owen,* Secretary.

*Civil Service Commission, December 18, 1888.*

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

*December 13, 1888.*

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London, Matilda Robinson Turner.*

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Post Office: Skilled Lineman, Henry Attwood. Sorters, London, Edwin Hare, William Mellor.*

*Postmen, London, Alfred Smith, Thomas James Vosper.*

*Porter, London, William Turner.*

*Postmen, Andrew Wales (Glasgow), Andrew Allen (Worcester).*

**FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPIST.**  
*William Henry Albry, Robert Flint, Joseph William Griffiths, Sidney George Lewis, William Rutherford McLeod, William Henry North, William Godfrey Pond, John Thompson.*

*December 14, 1888.*

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London, Gertrude Margaret Ford.*

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Mint: Boy Workman, Walter Henry Moore.*

*Post Office: Postman, London, Richard Charles Cawdrey.*

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Janet Bell (Ross, Herefordshire), Reginald Kerswill (Glasgow), Frank Laight (Redditch).*

*Postmen, James John Dunn (Llanelly), James Milliken (Belfast).*

**UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.**

*Stationery Office: Clerk, Lower Division, Henry Morgan Welsh.*