Civil Service Commission, September 24, 1897.

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

September 20, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank l'epartment, Ruby Ella Williams.

Female Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London, Dorothy May Mace, Frances Ethel Williams.

Female Sorter, London, Annie Miller.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Porter, Londor, John Mecoy.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Edin-.. burgh, Isabella Robertson Butchart.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Cork, Frederick Lyster Dobson, Arthur Warren. Postman, Bangor, Thomas Evans.

> September 21, 1897. AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London, Florence Margaret

Male Learner, Glasgow, Dugald Campbell Macquarie.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Board of Agriculture: Poy Traver in the Survey Branch, Barry Hugh Kertland.

Board of Trade: Clerks and Deputy Superintendents in Mercantile Marine Offices, George Wardale Barrett, Arthur Catherine.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London, Charles Peter Parker.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Engineer, John Robinson.

Post Office: Skilled Linemen, Charles Edward Bull, John Joseph Kingston.

Postmen, London, Samuel Henry Armes, ector Goldsmith, Henry James Lincoln, Hector Goldsmith, Lionel Robert Stanning, Ernest Henry Wright.

Porter, London, Joseph Sidney Jefferies.
Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, William Hector Powell Boyce (Birmingham), Samuel De Winter (Belfust), William Lawther (Belfast), Arthur Albert Morris (Cork), Mary Murray (Templemore), Herbert Percy Savage (Learnington Spa), John Watson Stephenson (Birmingham).

Under Clause VII of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

Education Department: Sub-Inspector (Second Cluss), Herbert Gibson Wilson.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGERS.

Herbert Sydney Cuming, Percy Albert Pirson.

September 22, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London, Annie Evelyn Bate, May Caroline Hazell, Ethel Slater.

Female Learners, Liverpool, Annie Hunter Knox, Margaret Emily Leckie, Edith Mary Parry, Emma Maria Picknett, Ethel Mary Small, Mary Elizabeth Swindells.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Devonport Dockyard, Shipwrights, Montagu Edward Francombe, Lewis Truscott ...Wyatt.

Sailmakers, Thomas Jeffery, William John

Roberts,

Post Office: Postmen, London, Charles Stephen Atkins, Frederick Barker, Thomas Walter James Dollimore, Arthur Edwin Harding, Thomas Edward Hutchins, Henry Mead.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Henry Arthur Laws Allison (Hartlepool), Bertram Thomas Andrews (Penzance), Frederick Phillips Cork (Melksham), Harry Oswald Marshall (Leeds).

Postman, Port Glasgow, Patrick Dusey.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY Messengers.

Arthur John Cotton, William Barfield Melrose.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 563 to 568 of the year 1897.)

The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.

No. 563.—BALTIC-GREAT BELT.

Tranekiær Light-Intended Alteration in Character.

THE Danish Government has given notice that, during the year 1897, the undermentioned alteration will be made in the character of Tranekiær Light:-

Tranekiær Light will be a group-flashing white light with a period of twenty seconds, showing three flashes in quick succession, thus: flash half a second, eclipse three and a half seconds, flash half a second, eclipse three and a half seconds, flash half a second, eclipse eleven and a half seconds. It is elevated 45 feet above the sea, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles.

The lighthouse is a white square tower with a grey roof, 27 feet in height, and is situated about 100 feet W. by N. of the existing lighthouse.

The light will probably be shown experimentally, before final establishment, when further notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 54° 59′ 15" N., long. 10° 53′ 25" E.

Variation 11° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:-Great Belt, No. 326; Kiel Bay, No. 2117; Baltic Sea, No. 2842a. Also, List of Lights, Part III, 1897, No. 184; Baltic Pilot, Part I, 1895, page 326.

No. 564.—NORTH SEA.

Sunken Wreck South-West of Haaks Light vesse!. THE Netherlands Government has given notice, dated 11th September, 1897, that :-

A sunken wreck with two masts showing about 4 feet above water lies about 15 miles S.W. 1 S. from Haaks Light-vessel.

Approximate position, lat. 52° 44′ 10" N.,

long. 4° 8′ 0″ E.

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart :- North Sea, No. 2339 and 2182a.

No. 565.—SOUTH AMERICA.

Iceberg off Diego Ramirez Island.
INFORMATION has been received through the Shipping Gazette, that on June 14th, 1897, a large iceberg about 400 feet high, was passed in the track of shipping off Diego Ramirez Island, near Cape Horn.

Approximate position, lat. 57° S., long. 691° W.
This Notice affects the following Admiralty

Chart :- Ice Chart of the Southern Hemisphere, No. 1241,