Workshop Act, 1895, modifying Schedule A of the Cotton Cloth Factories Act, 1889, with respect to the maximum limits of humidity, so far as relates to factories in which the spinning of merino, cashmere, or wool by the "French" or "Dry" process is carried on.

The Order will come into force on the 1st day

of January, 1899.

Copies of the Order may be purchased at the sale office for official publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, E.C.

Whitehall, December 28, 1898.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 28TH DECEMBER 1898.)

(Swine-Fever Infected Area.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1834 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896, dated the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the fourth day of January, one thousand eight

hundred and ninety-nine.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-eighth day of December, thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.



T. H. Elliott, Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area in the county of Norfolk, comprising the petty sessional division of Clackclose, and the parishes of Northwold, and Hockwold-cum-Wilton, and also including those parts of the parishes of Methwold, and Feltwell that are situate within the petty sessional division of Grimshoe.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 30TH DECEMBER 1898.)

(Swine-Fever Infected Area.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896, dated the No. 27037.

fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

> In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.



T. H. Elliott, Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area in the county of Surrey, comprising the parishes of Mitcham (excluding the detached part thereof), Merton, and Morden.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

> Local Government Board, Whitehall, December 29, 1898.

THE President of the Local Government Board, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, hereby gives notice that the following offices under the Local Government Board are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, viz.:-

Bacteriologist.

Laboratory Assistant.

Civil Service Commission, December 30, 1898.

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

> December 22, 1898 AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Clerk (Class I) in the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Frank Gordon Gordon.

Customs: Second Class Clerk at the Outports, Edward Highton Hodgson.

nland Revenue: Assistant Surveyors of Taxes, Thomas Fyfe Buchan, John Edward Long.

Post Office: Woman Clerk, Norah Jane Garns. Female Sorter, London, Katharine Winifred de Ville.

Male Learner, London, John Edwin Le Bosquet.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Foreign Office: Clerk on the Establishment or Attaché in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, George Russell Clerk.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London, Alfred John Saunders.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Shipwright, William Henry Toy.

Joiners, John Bevans, William Hugh Lloyd. Locksmi hs, Reginald Elverston Abbott, William George Stedman.

University Commission: Messenger, William Lionel Victor Baker.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Harry William Bishop, Henry Dwight, Thomas Arthur Huggett, Cornelius McCarthy, William Henry Mitchell.