

Francis Hart, Frederick Henry Havell, William Henderson, James Johnson, Thomas Knighton, John Isaac Lambert, Achille Henry Le Chêne, Hugh Drummond McEwen, Robert John McFaden, Robert McKerracher, William McPherson, Thomas Mordey Mitchell, John O'Sullivan, Arthur Thomas Porter, Thomas Edmonds Salmon, George Stevenson, Mortimer Edmund Thomson, and Owen Henry Gwynne Tudor to be Second Class Clerks in the Long Room, London.

*Education Department*, John Smalley Foister to be Sub-Inspector (First Class).

Amelia Boardman Quin to be Superintendent of the Staff of Woman Clerks.

Charles John Furlong and Jesse Henry Parsons to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractor Class).

Elizabeth Cumming, Helen Frances Morle, and May Black Laughland Paterson to be Woman Clerks.

*Home Office*, Thomas Porteus to be Factory Inspector's Assistant.

*Inland Revenue*, Ernest Mellish Tardif to be Deputy Chief Examiner of Claims.

William James Back to be appointed to a Minor Staff Post.

Jannette Ethel Christmas to be Female Assistant in the Office of the Controller of Stamps and Stores.

*Lunacy Commission*, Arthur James Comyn to be a Clerk of the Upper Division.

*Post Office*, Ernest King (Whitechurch), Ernest Marshall (Hoyland), Richard Nicholson (Dromod), William Batty Sinclair (Crowle), and Joseph Wylie Stevens (Canonbridge, Dingwall) to be Sub-Postmasters.

Belinda Bostock (Hasel Grove Sub-Office, Stockport), Margaret Fox (Raheny), Margaret Shaw Macdonald (Pennyghael), Susan Uncle Millard (Newport, Bishop's Stortford), Gertrude Parker (Dowderry Sub-Office, Plymouth), Annie Jane Patterson (Comber), Mary Dinah Pomeroy (New Romney), Emma Wadey (Wisborough Green), and Emily Bertha Webb (Wraysbury) to be Sub-Postmistresses.

William James Keith Elliott to be Paper-keeper in the Savings Bank Department.

Evelyn Sarah Atkinson, Alice Mary Banks, Dorothea Mary Boyd (otherwise Dorothea Patricia Maria de la Concepcion Boyd), Marion Katie Caley, Janie Denize Callaway, Grace Constance Comfort, Kathleen Crebbin, Catherine May Cuthbertson, Agnes Edith Dewar, May Matilda Dewing, Margaret Florence Dyer, Ethel Belinda Ford, Lilian Daisy Ruth Henderson, Beatrice Lilian Holder, Nellie Maud Anscombe Holman, Jessie Hooper Hughes, Gertrude Frances Lidiard, Mabel Idalia Mackley, Mary Frances Naan, Elsie Newland, Gertrude Alice Pearse, Maud Clara Agnes Robertson, Edith Florence Solomon, Winifred Mary Starling, Ada Julia Tanner, Isabel Harriet Thorn, Lottie Tingle, Mary Josephine Ward, Margaret Julia Weeks, and Dora Ethel Frances Weiss to be Woman Clerks.

Grace Emily Boorne, Lilian Sara Eardensohn, Eva Horton Goodman, Violet Dora Voysey Hosgood, Maud Harman Jones, Mary Beatrice Leamon, Anne Fowler Lumsden, Hilda Masters, Lilian Norwell Candler Mullett, and Mabel Catherine Witchell to be Girl Clerks.

*Reformatories Office, Ireland*, Henry O'Dea to be Abstractor.

*Register House Departments, Edinburgh*, Harry Robertson to be Clerk.

*Supreme Court of Judicature (England)*, Alban Edward John Harris to be Third Class Clerk in the Admiralty Registry.

*Trade, Board of*, Thomas Worthington to be Principal of the Commercial Intelligence Branch of the Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department.

Frederick Barley, William James Glenny, and Erroll Henry Stuart Sherson to be Staff Clerks in the Commercial Intelligence Branch of the Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department.

Henry Walter Acres, Percy Alfred Allen, Thomas William Bone, Charles William Burnes, Sidney William Clark, Henry Robert Emms, Percy Charles Maywood, and Richard Francis Taylor to be Statistical Assistants in the Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department.

Samuel James Long to be Abstractor in the Bankruptcy Department.

*War Office*, Piers Joseph Murphy to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

*Works, Office of*, Ernest Henry Bright to be appointed to a Temporary Staff Post.

*Clerks of the Second Division.*

*Customs (for temporary duty)*, John William Lishmund.

*Inland Revenue*, Thomas Arthur Winter.

*Post Office*, Harold Blackmore, Frederick James Charter, Herbert Comfort Chatfield, David Herbert Davies, Hugh Brown Denholm, Hugh Gilmour, Frederick William Gorseman, John Leonard Hooper, Sydney Donald Miller, John Daniel Mullan, Edward Pidduck, Richard Gray Ronaldson, Edward Robert Scovell, Berriman Cook Smith, William George Soper, Charles Sokes, and Harold Vokes.

*Public Works Loan Board*, Herbert Charles Beamish, William John Coates, Frank Wernham Guttridge, and Henry Arthur Pitcher.

*Registrar-General's Office, England (for temporary duty)*, Harry Grey Dowden, Alexander Blaeburg Garrard, and Henry Raby Maynard.

*Registrar-General's Office (Ireland)*, Michael Glenville Dowling.

*War Office (for temporary duty)*, Ernest Herbert Davies, George Edmund Hoppett, and Hubert Henry Smart.

PROMOTION under Clause XII of the Order in Council of 29th November, 1898:—

*Admiralty*, Robert George Hayes to be Clerk of the Higher Division.

#### NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 598 to 600 of the year 1899.)

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

No. 598.—SCOTLAND—WEST COAST.

*Loch Hourn Beg—Reported Shoal South-West of Eilean Mousker.*

THE Master of the steam yacht "Greta" reports that this vessel, drawing 13½ feet, touched on a shoal of gravel south-westward of Eilean Mousker, with the western end of that islet bearing N.E. by N. ¼ N., distant half a cable, and the houses at Skiary E. by S. ½ S. Less water was found between the shoal and the islet.

Approximate position on Chart No. 2497, lat. 57° 6' 25" N., long. 5° 27' 15" W.

[Variation 21° Westeryly in 1899.]