War Office, 13th October, 1899.

MILITIA.

The undermentioned Officers retire under paragraphs 76 to 78, Militia Regulations, with permission to retain their ranks, and to wear the prescribed uniforms on their retirement: -

3rd and 4th Battalions, the King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel J. L. Whalley. Dated 14th October, 1899.

6th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Colonel L. G. Dundas, C.B. Dated 14th October, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. Platt, C.B. Dated 14th October, 1899.

3rd Buttalion, the Essex Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Masterman. Dated 14th October, 1899.

4th Battalian, the Sherwool Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel J. W. Keyworth. Dated 1 th October, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. R. Adams. Dated 14th October, 1899.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Manchester Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel J. B. Irving. Dated 14th October, 1899.

h Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel T. Lockhart. Dated 14th October, 1899.

The undermentioned Officer retires under paragraph 78, Militia Regulations, 1898:-

5th Bottulion, the Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Captain W. H. Drake. Dated 14th October, 1899.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

Harry William Verelst, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th October, 1899.

Civil Service Commission, October 13, 1899.

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

October 9, 1899. AFTER OPEN COMPETITION. Post Office: Woman Clerk, Gertrude Swift. Male Sorter, London, John Williams. Male Learner, Liverpool, Richard Edward Lea.

WITHOUT COMPETITION. Post Office: Learners, Robert Evans (Carnarvon), Ellen Rosa Kemp (Stevenage), James Shingleton Russell (Wells, Somerset), William

Parry Williams (Newport, Salop).

Postmen, Henry George Allen (Bristol), John Cannaway (Banbridge), George Ralph Lusty (Gloucester), Percival Charles Savage (Manchester), Charles Percy White (Bristol), Bertic James Wintell (Ross).

Richard ' Temporary Assistant Postmen, Cameron (Glasgow), Robert Edward Dougherty (Leeds), William James Harkness (Birken-

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST (NEW CLASS). Herbert John George Le Manquais.

October 17, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Colonial Office: Eastern Cadet, Cecil Clementi.

Education Department: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), Edgar Lawrence Crawley, John William Turner.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, Matthew Cunningham.

Public Record Office, Ireland: Clerk (Class I), Thomas Edwin Harvey.

Post Office: Woman Clerk, Elizabeth Small. Ma'e Sorter, London, Alexander Brown Patterson.

Female Sorter, London, Henrietta Latta Gilmour.

Male Learner, London, Horace Garfield Shepperd.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION. National Education Office, Ireland: Inspector of National Schools, Richard Cobden Heron.

ITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Devonport Dockyard, Shipwrights, Charles Blamey, William Craggs, George Ernest Freathy, Thomas Giles, James Charles Hooper, Samuel George Martin, Samuel Ernest Mogg, Josiah William Westlake, John Daniel Winsor.

Registrar-General's Office, England: Boy Messenger, Cornelius William Oborn.

Post Office: Postmen, London, James Charles Gurney, William Maskell.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London,

Edward Evelyn Hall Whisson.

Learner, Thame, Gertrude Louisa Way. Postmen, Benjamin Barrett (Farnham), Edwin Moore James (Birmingham), Arthur George Mead (Bristol), Charles Thomson (Glasgow).

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL of 4th June, 1870.

Second Division: Clerks, Charles Edward Green, Frank Saunders.

Admiralty: Staff Clerk in the Intelligence Department, George Joseph Rickman.

Customs: Second Mate of the Revenue Vessel "Vigilant," Henry John Wilkinson.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY

COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Edward Joseph Archibald, Patrick Joseph
Cooney, Archibald Ferguson, Thomas Edward Ridout, Alfred Charles Score, Augustine Sheedy.

October 11, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Charles William Stuart Downer.

Girl Clerk, Florence Elizabeth Chesterfield. Female Learners, London, Catherine Bethiah Champion, Edith Hannah Moore.

Male Sorter, London, Herbert James Knight.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum: Boy Attendant, James Hugh Payton.