

**NOTICE.**  
**COLONIAL STOCK ACT, 1900.**  
(63 and 64 Vict. c. 62.)

**FURTHER LIST OF STOCKS UNDER SECTION 2.**  
PURSUANT to section 2 of "The Colonial Stock Act, 1900," the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the provisions of the Act have been complied with in respect of the undermentioned Stocks registered or inscribed in the United Kingdom :—

*New South Wales.*

- 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1933).
- 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock (1924).
- 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock (1918).
- 3 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1935).

*Western Australia.*

- 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1934).
- 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1911-1931).
- 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock (1915-1935).
- 3 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1915-1935).
- 3 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1916-1936).
- 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock (1920-1935).
- 3 per cent. Inscribed Stock (1927).

The restrictions mentioned in section 2, subsection (2) of "The Trustee Act, 1893," apply to the above Stocks (see Colonial Stock Act, 1900, section 2).

Treasury Chambers, S.W., September 5, 1901.

**THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,**  
**1894 AND 1896.**

**BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.**

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Board of Agriculture have made the following Order :—

Date.	Subject.
1901. 3rd September	Relating to a dog landed at Liverpool on or about the 2nd September, and believed to belong to Captain H. D. Larymore.

Copies of the Order may be obtained at 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.

*Civil Service Commission, September 6, 1901.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

**REGULATIONS** respecting Boy Copyists (New Class) registered for Temporary Employment in Public Departments.

\* \* Revised Regulations may at any time be issued, which will apply to every Copyist who may accept or renew an engagement after their publication in the London Gazette.

1. A Register of Boy Copyists (New Class) for temporary employment in Public Departments will be kept by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. This Register will contain the names of boys who have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners that they are of good health and character, and that they are duly qualified under the following regulations (3 and 4).

3. The limits of age are 15 to 18. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

4. The subjects for Examination are :—  
Obligatory Subjects.

1. Handwriting and Orthography.
2. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).
3. English Composition.

Optional Subjects.

Any two of the following :—

1. Copying Manuscript.
2. Geography.
3. English History.
4. Translation from one of the following Languages :—Latin, French, or German.
5. Euclid, Books I and II; and Algebra up to and including Simple Equations.
6. The rudiments of Chemistry and Physics.

5. Open Competitive Examinations for the purpose of testing the qualifications of Candidates in the above-mentioned subjects will be held by the Civil Service Commissioners from time to time as may be necessary, and a certain number, regulated by the probable demand from the Public Departments, of those who show sufficient proficiency will be placed upon the Register kept by the Commissioners, and will be available for employment as their services are required.

6. The fee payable for attending the Open Competitive Examinations will be 5s.

7. Boy Copyists placed on this Register will be summoned for employment in any of the Public Departments as they are wanted. When not wanted, they will have no claim to employment. Refusing to serve when called upon, except for reasons satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, they will be removed from the Register. The order in which they may be employed, the Departments to which they may be assigned, and their retention generally on the Register, will be determined by the Civil Service Commissioners; but they will be subject to the orders of the Departments in which they are serving during the time of their actual employment, and will be liable to dismissal from them by the authorities thereof, without notice, for inefficiency or misconduct.

Their assignment for service will, as a general rule, be according to their order of merit in the examination; but exceptions to this general rule may be made when the engagement offered is very short, or for other sufficient reasons.

8. These Boy Copyists will usually be engaged and paid by the week of 39 hours, viz. :—7 hours a day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and 4 hours on Saturdays; and they will be paid 14s. per week during the first year of their service. After a year of approved service, an increase of pay to 15s. a week may be allowed; after a second year, an increase of pay to 16s. a week; after a third year, an increase to 17s.; after a fourth year, an increase to 18s.

They may also be engaged and paid by the hour at the rate of 4d. per hour during their first year of service; at the rate of 5d. per hour during the second or third year of service; and afterwards at the rate of 6d. per hour; and any who may be required to attend for more than 7½ hours on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday, or more than 4½ hours on Saturday, will be paid at the hourly rate for such overtime attendance. But in no case must overtime attendance exceed 12 hours in any one week. They may also be paid by the piece at such rates as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury.