- 1st Dumbartonshire, Surgeon-Lieutenant J. R. Foulds, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1902.
- 7th Middleser (London Scottish), Extra Supernumerary Second Lieutenant J. R Divino relinquishes his Commission on ceasing to be a University Candidate for the Army. Dated 19th February, 1902.
- 24th Middlesex, Second Lieutenant A. H. D. Steel resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1902.
- 2nd Tower Hamlets, Captain F. B. Lampen resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1902.

Commission signed by the Governor and Captain of the Isle of Wight.

Major John Edward Bernard Seely, D.S.O., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th February, 1902.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 17TH FEBRUARY 1902.)

(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:

Extension of Limits of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

1. The limits of the Swine-Fever Infected Area declared by Order of the Board dated the fifteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and two, are hereby extended so as to comprise the Area described in the Schedule to this Order, and the Area so described is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and two.

In witness whercof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this seventeenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. H. Elliott, Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

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An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Edmonton, South Mimms, and Highgate, in the administrative county of Middlesex; and also comprising the petty sessional division of Barnet, and the parish of Aldenham (excluding the detached part thereof), in the administrative county of Hertford.

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

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 Orders :---

| Date. | Subject. |
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| 1902. 13th February | Relating to a dog belonging to the Lady Ridgeway. |
| 14th February | Relating to a dog landed at Liverpool, on or about the 28th November last, and be- lieved to belong to Mrs. Angie Hall. |

Copies of the Orders may be obtained at 4. Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, February 18, 1902.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :--

sioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :--REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for Third Class Clerkships in the Irish Land Commission.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Competitive Examinations of Candidates for these situations will be held from time to time as may be deemed expedient.

time as may be deemed expedient. 2. These Examinations are open to all naturalborn subjects of His Majesty, being of the prescribed age, and of good health and character.

scribed age, and of good health and character. 3. The limits of age for these situations are 18 and 22. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

Note.—In reckoning age for competition the following allowances will be made, viz.: (1) members of the Military and Naval services (whether commissioned or non-commissioned) may deduct from their actual age any time during which they have served towards pensiou; (2) persons who have served for two full consecutive years (a) in any Civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners, (b) in the Royal Irish Constabulary, or Dublin Metropolitan Police, or (c) as Registered Copyists in connexion with the Civil Service, may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

4. The subjects of Examination will be as follows :---

Obligatory-

- 1. Handwriting and Orthography, including Copying Manuscript.
- 2. Arithmetic.
- 3. English Composition.
- 4. Précis, including Indexing and Digest of Returns.
- 5. Book-keeping.
- 6. Geography and English History.
- 7. Principles of the Law of Real Property.
- 8. Any one or two of the following languages:-Latin, French, German (translation from).