

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 1, 1904.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant to the Head of the Intelligence Branch of the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries will be held in London, commencing on the 16th February, 1904, under the Special Regulations dated 19th April, 1895, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 28th January, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 1, 1904.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Male Learner in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held in London on the 23rd February, 1904, under the Regulations dated 20th December, 1901, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 20 of the Candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and are duly qualified in other respects.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 4th February, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 1, 1904.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that Open Competitive Examinations for situations as Male Learner in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held on the 23rd February, 1904, under the Regulations dated the 15th December, 1903, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The Examinations will be held in the following towns and for the number of situations indicated, viz. :—

Edinburgh..	..	Not fewer than	7
Dublin ..	..	" "	11
Birmingham ..	..	" "	13
Bristol ..	..	" "	4
Cardiff ..	..	" "	3
Derby ..	..	" "	2
Gloucester..	..	" "	2
Manchester ..	..	" "	27
Newcastle-on-Tyne ..	..	" "	10
Norwich ..	..	" "	1
Plymouth ..	..	" "	2
Portsmouth ..	..	" "	3
Sheffield ..	..	" "	2
York ..	..	" "	4
Aberdeen ..	..	" "	4
Dundee ..	..	" "	2
Glasgow ..	..	" "	24
Belfast ..	..	" "	5
Cork ..	..	" "	4
Londonderry ..	..	" "	1

The Examinations are intended to supply the several Post Offices with persons resident in or near the towns in which they desire to serve. With the undermentioned exception Candidates will be allowed to compete only for vacancies in the town in which they apply to be examined.

The exception referred to above is that, for reasons of convenience, at the forthcoming Examination :—

Candidates for York will be examined at Leeds.

No person will be admitted to any of these Examinations from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 4th February, an application, on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,  
January 1, 1904.*

In pursuance of the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of the 29th November, 1898, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments, Transfer, and Promotions, in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of December, 1903 :—

APPOINTMENTS.

*Admiralty*, Harold Eastwood to be Clerk (Class I) in the Accountant-General's Department.

John Edward Davis to be Confidential Shorthand Writer.

James Caleb Coles, Ernest John Henry Davis, and Herbert John Hunt to be First Class Writers in the Chief Constructor's Department of His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

William John Sampson to be First Class Writer in the Expense Accounts Department of His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

Arthur Roger Straw to be First Class Writer in the Naval Store Department of His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

Ernest Elliss to be First Class Writer in the Naval Ordnance Store Department of His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

Edward Albert Ash to be First Class Writer in the Victualling Department of His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

Charles William Jeffries to be Established Computer at the Cape of Good Hope Observatory.

George Ernest Russell to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

Henry Thomas Hurst and William Henry Martin to be Pensioner Writers in His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

*Agriculture and Fisheries, Board of*, Alexander William Monro to be Inspector.

*Chelsea Hospital*, Daniel George Cannell to be Staff Clerk.

*Crown Office, Edinburgh*, James Kyd Young to be Second Clerk.

*Education, Board of*, Matthew Parkinson and Patrick John Sheehan to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Mary Constance Davies to be Female Clerk in the Office of the Director of Special Inquiries and Reports.

*Foreign Office*, George Badrick to be appointed to a Staff Post.

*Home Office*, George Richard Williams to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).