The undermentioned Gentleman has been promoted to the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, viz.:—

Oswald Hesketh Hanson. Midshipman. Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve. Dated 25th January, 1904.

Admiralty, 27th January, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Vernou Archibald Tisdall has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 26th January, 1904.

Admiralty, 28th January, 1904.

Sub-Lieutenant Geoffrey Blake has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th October, 1903.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenauts have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenaut:—

Hubert Edwin Gore-Langton. Dated 15th June, 1902.

Kenneth Mervyn Bruce.
Dated 15th September, 1902.

Civil Service Commission, January 29, 1904.

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

January 25, 1904.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerks, Henry Francis McCoy, Noel Frederick Morley, Basil Denne Phillips Reed.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Frederick George Hollis, Evelyn Moody.

War Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), David Walker-Arnott,

Post Office: Woman Clerk, Irene Dorothy Allen. Female Sorter, London, May Dawkin.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Frederick Ernest William Dockrill. Assistant Matrons, Bertha Boardman, Mary Ada Spencer.

Treasury: Messenger, Hugh Watson.

Wallace Collection (Hertford House): Attendant, Ernest William Brace.

Post Office: Porter, London, William John Baines.

Telephone Operators, London, Ethel Kathleen Cleary, Winifred Annie Kempe.

Telephone Operators, Mary Elsie Cockburn (Halifax), Eliza Belinda Bridge Emmerson (Great Yarmouth), Edith Margaret Helen Johnston (Edinburgh).

Learners, Ernest Hill Battensby (Durham), William Berry (Market Drayton), Euphemia Campbell (Oban), Michael Joseph Carey (Queenstown), Dorothy May Clulee (Kidderminster), Edith Constance Garnham (Gosport), Gladys Mary Wallis (Hereford), Reginald Leonard Weedon (Camberley), Arthur Stanley Wood (Kenilworth).

Postmen, Harry Bond (Bristol), Herbert James Cousins Legg (Weymouth), Edward Morgan (Cardiff), George Morris (Newtown, Montgomeryshire), Willie Pawson (Bradford), James Stewart (Dunfermline).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY CLERKS.

Charles Gordon Forsdick, William Mayall.

January 26, 1904.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerks, George Eastoe Burrows, William Henry Pinchin, George Shaw, Ernest Benjamin Stilwell.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Francis
Augustine Carter, Robert Gemmell, George
Frederick Coutts Higginbotham, Leonard
Jones, William McGuire, Gwylim Matthews,
Bennett Opie, Michael Ryan, Russell Edwin
Stanley.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Admiralty: First Class Writers in the Naval Store Department of His Majesty's Naval Establishments, Thomas Lowman Hutchings, Thomas Arthur McEvoy, William George Benjamin Rollings, George Friend Williams.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boy Messenger, Richard Francis Scott.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Henry Bazil Walker. Assistant Matron, Elizabeth Rendell Storey.

Prison Department, Scotland: Warder, Thomas Macfarlane.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Hermann Greafe, George Frederick Jacob.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, London, Alfred John Ball, Ernest Warren Bradbrook, John Herbert Partridge.

Female Typist, Georgiana Constance Styles.

Telephone Operator, London, Minnie Mabel Eastell.

Learners, Henry Charles Best (Windsor), James Bonnar (Strabane), Joseph Donald (Banff), Robert Owen Jones (Rhyl), Dorothy Neale (Harrow, Wealdstone R.S.O.), George Ernest Page (Kingston-on-Thames), William Raw (Whitby).

Postmen, John Parker Maguire (Halifax), Thomas Bernard Lowrey (Chester-le-Street).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, James Bernard Doherty (York), Edward Lackey (Ulverston).

Under Clause VII of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

Board of Trade: Staff Officers in the Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department. Richard Leach, Frederick William Perrett, James William Verdier, Anthony Augustin Andrew Wotzel.

Post Office: Postman, London, John Farrell.

Postmen, Ignatius Greenough (Manchester), William Urbane Hubbard (Loughborough), Lot Larcombe (Gillingham).