

Colonel Henry W. Smith-Rewse, C.V.O., on completion of the tenure of his appointment as Commandant, School of Military Engineering, retires on retired pay. Dated 1st January, 1907.

Colonel Llewellyn S. Mellor, half-pay, retires on retired pay, but retains command of the Mersey Volunteer Infantry Brigade. Dated 19th January, 1907.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John C. Middlemass, half-pay, Royal Engineers, retires on retired pay. Dated 19th January, 1907.

Quartermaster and Honorary Major William T. Marshall, V.C., Camp Quartermaster, Aldershot, retires on retired pay. Dated 19th January, 1907.

#### THE ARMY MOTOR RESERVE.

The undermentioned gentlemen to be Lieutenants. Dated 19th January, 1907 :—

Edward Hutchinson.

Frederick Hope Dunn Pattison.

Malcolm Winfrid Shutte.

#### Civil Service Commission,

January 18, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

**SPECIAL REGULATIONS** respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant of Excise in the Department of Inland Revenue. (Supplementary to the General Regulations respecting Open Competitive Examinations for situations in the Civil Service included in Schedule A of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.)

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

1. The limits of age for this situation are 19 and 22. If an examination begins in one of the first six months of any year, Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of May in that year. If an examination begins in one of the last six months of any year, Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of November in that year.

2. Candidates must be unmarried and without family.

3. No person who has been previously successful in an Examination for the situation of Assistant of Excise and has passed into actual employment in that capacity will be eligible to compete.

4. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting.
2. Arithmetic.
3. English Composition and Spelling.
4. Geography (General).
5. English History from A.D. 1485.
6. Mathematics.
7. Elementary Chemistry.

Any two  
but not more  
than two.

No subjects are obligatory, but no Candidate will be regarded as qualified who fails to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency.

5. Service marks for each full period of three calendar months of actual approved service, subject to a maximum of twelve of such periods, may be allowed to candidates attending an Examination who are serving or have served as Registered Boy Clerks or Boy Copyists.

6. A fee of £1 will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination.

7. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners may appoint.

8. Each Examination will have reference to such number of vacancies as may be specified in any notice of such Examination published, with the approval of the Lords of the Treasury, in the London Gazette.

#### ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 16TH JANUARY 1907.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

Notwithstanding anything in Article 2 of the East Suffolk (Swine-Fever) Order of 1906 (No. 8), swine affected by that Article may be moved from the licensed market, fair, saleyard, or exhibition to the Corporation Market, Birmingham, if accompanied by a licence authorising such movement granted by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the District in which the market, fair, saleyard, or exhibition is situate, and swine so moved will thereupon become subject to the provisions of the Birmingham (Swine Fever) Order of 1906 as to marking, and as to movement with licence to a bacon factory or slaughterhouse, which affect all swine exposed at the Corporation Market.

A copy of every licence granted under this Order shall be sent by the Inspector granting the same to the Town Clerk of Birmingham.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this sixteenth day of January, nineteen hundred and seven.



T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

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