- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Loyal North Lanca-shire Regiment; Captain A. W. Taylor is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 12th September, 1907.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); Captain G. Elgood, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), to be Adjutant, vice Major C. C. Pearson, The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, who has vacated that appointment (and has since retired on retired pay). Dated 11th September, 1907.
- 5th (Deeside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders; Second Lieutenant J. N. Blacklaws to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1907.
- 16th Middlesex (London Irish) Volunteer Rifle Corps; The undermentioned second lieutenants to be Lieutenants :-
 - J. A. C. Highmore. Dated 13th September, 1907.
 - W. Murdoch. Dated 13th September, 1907.

Civil Service Commission,

September 24, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department, will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Belfast, Cork, Limerick, and London-derry, commencing on the 10th December, 1907, under the Regulations dated 18th January, 1907, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Not fewer than 110 Candidates will be appointed on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found qualified.

No person will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 21st November, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

THE FERTILISERS AND FEEDING STUFFS (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1907.

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, in pursuance of the provisions of the Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs Act, 1906, hereby make the following Regulations:-

REGULATION AS TO THE ANALYST TO WHOM Samples are to be sent.

1. Where under the Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs Act, 1906, any person desires that a sample shall be analysed by the agricultural analyst, the sample, or parts of the sample, as the case may 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

- be, shall be sent to such agricultural analyst as is hereby prescribed, that is to say:-
 - (1) if the sample is taken in a county, or in a county borough or a burgh of which the council have appointed or concurred in appointing an agricultural analyst, then to the analyst appointed for the county or borough or burgh;
 - (2) if the sample is taken in a county borough of which the council have not appointed or concurred in appointing an agricultural analyst, then to the analyst appointed for the county in which for the purposes of the Local Government Act, 1888, the borough is deemed to be situate; and
 - (3) if the sample is taken in a burgh of which the council have not appointed or concurred in appointing an agricultural analyst, then to the analyst appointed for the county within which the burgh is situated or with which it has the longest common boundary.

COMMENCEMENT.

2. These Regulations shall take effect on the 1st day of January, 1908, and remain in force until altered or revoked by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries.

SHORT TITLE.

3. These Regulations may be cited as the Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs (General) Regulations, 1907.

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In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their official seal, this eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

> T. H. Elliott, Secretary.

THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1903.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have made the following Orders :-

Date.	Subject.
1907.	
16th September	An imported dog belonging to Mrs. Wilder.
17th September	Imported dogs belonging to (1) Lady Girouard; (2) Lady Mary Wentworth Fitz- William; (3) Madame Lucile Hill; and (4) Captain C. A. M. Howard.
18th September	Imported dogs belonging to (1) Mrs. C. H. Leigh; and (2) Miss S. Thornton.
21st September	Imported dogs belonging to (1) Miss Mabel C. Walker; (2) Major D. O. Morris; (3) Major T. E. Fowle; and (4) Mrs. E. F. Hennessy.

Copies of these Orders may be obtained at